American Sign Language

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Introduction

Plato presents a similar idea to what we do here in his *Cratylus*. According to him there are words which are considered elemental, which are the origin of all names. What he considers, though, are the absolute qualities, and these words he considers are imitation but of neither shape, sound, nor colour. One could present these elemental words by letters, and then combine them into other words.

In our case a sign language is spatial, and its elemental elements physical presentation. We represent these elements using letters of the Roman alphabet and their combinations and then use them to compose words. By his means Plato proposed to construct a systematic language of the gods. By this means we are doing here likewise with a sign language. Plato's language and sign languages are similar in that both provide names with are not only abstract presentations but also informing.

Description of the present writing system

The writing of the American Sign Language, developed and used by Stokoe *et al* to compile a dictionary of ASL (Stokoe *et al*, 1965), is a big step forward for the language. But one drawback is that it uses symbols which can not be reproduced easily on word processors or Tex. I briefly learnt Japanese Signs in 1998 in Meguro-ku, Tokyo. This language is a descendant of American Signs and has inherited a great part of its feathers. But is was not until early 2002 that I came across the symbolic writings developed by Stokoe.

This writing system looked discouragingly complicated, so I tried to develop my own writing system for British Signs. While the work for the latter was going on, I turned to look again at Stokoe's system and found to my surprise that despite its seemingly complexity it is very systematic and efficient. So I started to look at it in detail and I began to apply my experience with other writing systems to create a system using English alphabets that will be isomorphic with his, because I

prefer the roman letters to geometric representations in the matter of writings. In essence, in the new system I try to follow his conventions whenever I can, in order that those who are already familiar with his system will have the least difficulty in following mine. Among other things, I avoid the use of capital letters in the middle of sentences, use English consonants for the Dez symbols, vowels and suffixes for Sig symbols, and a set morpheme for each of his Tab symbols. In order to make my system self-explanatory, I separate the different allochers which share the same symbol, for example the Dez A has now become t, ts or tz respectively where they used to be the allochers a, s and t. I try to find a solution which is easy to remember, for example the Sig for a divergent action that used to be represented by the division symbol, is now the suffix ~ide for divide or chide. The results are listed in Table 1. As this is an isomorphic writing of Stokoe's system, the contents of the latter would go nowhere, so it is possible to polish the system further after this and this I intend to do.

ASL was developed from the French language of signs between 1815 and 1816. Here the term *chereme*, taken from Homeric Greek meaning *handy*, is an analogy of *phoneme* in normal, verbal languages. Different variations of a chereme are called *allocheres*.

Tab

(nte) zero; neutralfca face, whole headfhe forehead, brow, upper face

mvi mid-face, eyes and nose

cni chin, lower face

cke cheek, temple, ear, side-face

nke neck

tra trunk, body from shoulders to hips

mra upper armmya elbow, forearm

spa supinated arm or wristpro pronated arm or wrist

Dez

| t | a compact hand |
|------------------|--|
| ts | fist, s compact hand |
| tz | t compact hand |
| b | flat hand |
| bs | flat hand with four fingers separated |
| s | spread hand |
| С | curved hand |
| d | contracted hand |
| f | three-ring hand |
| 8 | g index hand |
| gd | d index hand |
| \bar{h} | index and second finger extended; h |
| huw, hun | the u allocher of h |
| how, hon | the n allocher of h |
| j | pinkie hand |
| k | like <i>g</i> but thumb touches the middle phalanx of the 2 nd finger |
| kow, kon | the p allocher of k |
| 1 | angle hand; thumb perpendicular with the index finger |
| z | cock finger; thub and the first two fingers spread |
| p | tapered hand; fingers curved and squeezed together; o |
| r | warding off hand; the 2 nd finger crosses over the index |
| v | victory hand |
| w | three-finger hand |
| \boldsymbol{x} | hook hand; index hooked |
| y | horns hand (thumb and little finger) |
| ys | horns hand (index and little finger) |
| q | the little finger bent in from a spread hand |
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upward downward up-down rightward

Sig

e leftwardie side-to-side

a toward signer

ao away from signer

oa to-and-fro

ui supinating rotation

iu pronating rotation

ou twisting

ue nodding, bending

oe opening

ae closing

eu wriggling of fingers

ia circular action

~ach convergent action; approach

-act contactual action, touch

~asp linking, grasp

~oss crossing action

~ent entering action

~ide divergent action, separate

~int interchanging action

Other auxiliary symbols

ei side-by-side hands

ai one hand held behind the other

-t repeat the whole Sig

~ts two or more repetitions

~l with finger bent, *i.e.* clawed

~ate alternately by one hand and then the other

~us new Dez thus transformed

~nd compounding

~*n*~ a**n**d

~d~ Ger. dann; then

oo~ blowing (cf Welsh 'w').

Table 1 Roman writing of Stokoe's system for American Signs

Others are represented by accents above or below an alphabet. Let 'x' be an arbitrary letter, then \hat{x} and xy both means that the elbow or forearm is prominent, \hat{x} the lower hand held below the other, while \hat{x} the hand above the other. If x is a consonant then \hat{x} means that a non

prominent thumb or finger is extended or used as Sig, whereas if it is a vowel it would mean a short or sharp movement.

Sig's in the Stokoe's system are presented here as vowels or combinations of vowels. In the former a dez may also have another sig acting as a subscript, in addition to the usual ones which describe movements. Whenever this happens, I place a letter \boldsymbol{w} between the two vowels to separate them from each other in order to avoid the ambiguity otherwise. This alphabet can also separate two things in general, for example two dez's which are next to each other, though in most cases it is usually omitted. A dot above a dez in the former is moved to below the alphabet corresponding to it.

Multiple sig's placed in the subscript of a dez are here separated from each other by the letter m. Those that make up action sig's are separated from each other by either the letter n or d as described in Table 1.

Because I am no signer, most of the examples shown here are taken from those given by Stokoe. While in his work there are four allochers of the b sign, there are only three here, namely b, bs and bl. Both the sign b and the b allocher of the b sign are represented here as b.

Words in a sign language contain positions and shapes. These are geometrical information. At times they can be very complicated and long, at other short and simple, for example *before* and *after* are respectively in ASL *bimaibewa* and *bimaibewa*.

The following contains words taken from Stokoe's dictionary.

a, A

-ao see -ndci.

b, B

babaowactdt v n praise, applaud.

babawactdt *n* jail, prison.

~**ndtrabbo**, *n* prisoner.

babawide v line up.

bâbawiunandbziubiuwaonact *n* heaven.

babewactdodact *imit n* lesson; subject; course.

babewactdtnodts n list.

babiuwuenuo imit n v paint.

babowie *n* song. *v* sing.

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 $\hat{\mathbf{b}}$ a $\hat{\mathbf{b}}$ owounie n song. v sing.

bahuenuo imit v paint.

baicaspnaodtus adj expert, skilful.

bakowie *n* poem; poetry.

 $\hat{\mathbf{b}}$ a $\hat{\mathbf{k}}$ owounie n poem; poetry.

bamaibaowachnia v face, come before.

bamaibaowachnu v face, come before.

bamaiguwona imit v swallow.

bamobamowuenu v give up. also bamobamowuenu 'up'. see also pa-pawuinao.

bamubaomuwuedt n v hope.

 $\hat{\mathbf{b}}$ ao *adj* later; *n* the future; *v* will.

baobaowao imit v push.

baobaowao v shove.

baobaowao adj wonderful.

baobaowaoni v push aside, push out of the way.

baobaowaonut panto. n volley-ball; v play volley-ball.

baobaowaot v calm down, take it easy; n Sunday.

baobaowia n Sunday.

baobaowidenui adj v open.

baobaowo adj every Sunday, Sundays; n curtains, drapes.

baobaowo v depress, push down.

baobaowou 'No, I didn't mean that'., 'No, I didn't do that'. see also cnițao.

baobaowu v push up.

 ${f baobaow ueno}\ n$ curtains, drapes. also ${\it baobaowiano},\ {\it baowossbaowideno}.$ ruffled curtains.

baode imit v turn, curve.

baomaiguwact v forbid.

baomaisaenaodts v take pictures.

- ~ **beicaowact**, v take a picture.
- fhecactndbeicaowact, v take a portrait.

baoni see baowao. his, her, your, their, etc

 $\hat{\mathbf{b}}$ aot v n lecture.

baowao *adj n* his, her, hers, your, yours, their, theirs.

baoweibaowachdact v close, shut.

baoweibaowactt n door.

baoweibaowuidiunact imit n door.

baoweibaowuinidiune n door.

baowia v pity; n sympathy, mercy.

Baowido see Baowot. Boston.

Baowot region. n Boston.

baspbao v lead.

~**ndtrabbwo**, . *n* leader, guide.

baspcao see baspbao. lead.

baspcao *n* magazine; paperback. also *ntebeibuind*~.

baspfaot *n* meat.

basplao imit n magazine.

baspvianoa *imit* v ride a horse; n riding; cheating.

baspvounie *v* cheat.

bâtuwactdt imit v pound on the door.

baviuwodt v read.

baviuwuedt v read.

bawuena *v* come, come on.

bbachnao adj narrow.

bbacht adj small, little.

bbactnoss *n v* kick.

bbao *n* way, street, method.

bbaonact adj straight; major subject.

bbaono v leave, abandon.

bbide adj wide.

b̂bidenui 'What?'

 $\hat{\mathbf{b}}\hat{\mathbf{b}}$ ienodate *n* trouble, worry; *v* worry. see also *traqqactdate*.

bbit v prepare, plan; n plan.

bbiu col finish.

bbiudact v close, shut.

bbiuwi *imit* v set aside temporarily.

bbo *n* person; *adj* personally, individually.

bbondbimaibewo *n* room; box, parcel; square.

bbossnactdint *n* hands.

bbounact *imit* v n share.

 $\hat{\mathbf{b}}\hat{\mathbf{b}}$ uidate v compare; n comparison.

bbuenaodt v talk. see cnigewianaodt.

bcuonact see caowuo. scratch, itch.

bebiwaot v encourage.

beibano v ask for, request, ask for permission. *eg 'She' beibano tragawact 'do' gewe 'favour'*. She asked me to do her a favour.; *Tracact beibano giwi bemiubemiuwaeni*. The policeman asked him to leave.; *'He' beibano tragawact*

guwie tiutiuwo buizact baowao ttuodate. He asked me where he could park his car. Or informally, Gaweuna guwie tiutiuwo buizact baowao ttuodate.. see also geunao.

beibidenao adj broad, general.

beibiuwonact adj cheap.

beiblactdtnaodt adj often.

beiblactts often.

beiblawuinact adj how, How?

beiblewact imit adj against.

beibluiwiudact adj again.

beiboanact adj eager, enthusiastic, anxious; n adj Methodist.

beibowaonact adj fast. v scram.

~dts, v run.

beibowenu *adj* all night.

beibowo *n* midnight.

beibuidt imit n book. also buiweibuiwiu.

~**ndbaspcao**, . *n* magazine.

 $\hat{\mathbf{b}}$ ei $\hat{\mathbf{b}}$ uiwaonu n early morning; the small hours.

beicact *imit n* paragraph; section.

beicaeno imit v subtract, remove.

beicaowactdodact *n* constitution.

beicaowactdt *imit n* picture, photograph. also *fhecactnd*~.

beifact v flunk.

beigewao v show; n example.

beigiuwact imit adj minus; negative.

beigiuwactdaono adj non-reflective; non-absorptive.

beigiuweunao imit n worm.

beiguinu adj once.

beivuiwuinu, adj twice; double.

beizuiwuinu, adj thrice; three times.

beiguinudt adj sometimes. adj once in a while.

beiguwunact adj tall, high.

beikact n strikeout.

beikewactdt n adj Presbyterian.

beikonactdt n Kendall, an institution in Washington D.C. the address of which has been the location of Gallaudet College since 1864; Amos Kendall (1789 – 1869), its founder.

beikowactdodact *n* principle.

beilact v forbid, prohibit. adj forbidden.

beilactdodact n law.

~**ndtrabbo**, *n* lawyer; attorney.

beilactdt *n adj* Lutheran.

beillaonact n verse.

beilue adj later; in a little while.

beipaowonactdt *n* New Orleans.

beiqactdint *n* Jesus. *adj* Christian.

~**ndbeibidenui**, *n* the Bible.

~**ndtrabbo**, *n* Christian.

beiractdodact n rule.

beisewaenidpus imit n copy. v imitate, copy.

beitactdodact n theory.

beitiadact *n* time; period.

beitianact *n* time; period.

beitiuwactdounidt *n* bell ringing.

beitiuwianactdt adj monotonous.

beițiuwao v emphasise, impress; n impression. also beițiuwa, baomaițactna.

beiṭiuwonact v cut oneself; be operated on; n operation.

beitiuwuinactdt *imit v* engrave; carve. *n* sculpture.

beitonactdoeno v remove, take away, get rid of.

beivewactdt imit n fork.

beivewactduidact v mean, intend. n meaning.

beivuiwuinu adj twice.

beixa *n v* request, demand.

beixonact *v* charge; fine; cost.

beixou n screwdriver.

beixounact n v lock. n key.

beixunactdt imit n match.

beiyonact v cheat.

bemiubemiuwaeni v depart, leave.

bfasp *n* meat; flesh.

b̂hiub̂iuwactdt *n* table.

bhiubowact *n* night.

bhiubowactt adj nightly.

bhiubuwact adj noon.

b̂hiuĝiuwuini *n* day.

~**ndnteyuiyuiwo**, *adj* today.

b̂hiuĝiuwuni *n* day.

b̂hiuguiwune *n* day.

bhuibuiwie panto. n baby.

bibactdt *n* median. *adj* medium.

bibewactdt *n* window.

bibewactt *n* window.

bibewia imit v wrap; bandage.

bibewoanact adj never mind; anyway.

bibewoanactdate adj never mind, regardless, anyway.

bibido *n v* finish, end.

bibodt *imit n v* drop; leak.

bibuenie *imit n* fish.

bicaspni n dollar.

bifaspdtnidt *imit* v hanging out laundry.

bhiubuwact adj noon; at noon.

bigaone adj around.

bigonact *n adj* what.

bimaibewa adj before, earlier.

bimaibewach imit adj close, near.

- ~**naodt**, *v* approach. *adj* nearer.
- ~**ndtrabbo**, *n* neighbour.

bimaibewact imit adj close, near.

bimaibewao adj after; from now on.

bimaibewiadact imit adj next.

~**ndtrabbo**, *n* neighbour.

bimaisaweuno n blood. v bleed.

bimaivawact v save.

bimiubemiuwactdintnut v build.

- ~**ndbuweibuwideno**, *n* building.
- ~**ndtrabbo**, *n* builder.

bimiuweibemiuwideno n sky.

bimiuweibemiuwueno v break down, collapse.

bimuibemuiwach v introduce.

bimuiweibemuiwueno v lose.

binaito n v fumble (in American football). also bimaito.

bịu *col* finish.

biubaonact imit adj across, over; after.

biubiuwa imit v bury; n grave.

biubiuwachno *imit n* valley.

biubiuwact adj on, upon.

biubiuwact v warn. n warning.

biubiuwact adj up to this level.

biubiuwactdaena n call, summon.

biubiuwactndntebuiwane v invite.

biubiuwadu adj excessive, too much.

biubiuwanact adj slow.

biubiuwanactdt *n* gloves.

biubiuwanactdint *imit n* gloves. also *biubiuwanactt*.

biubiuwao *imit v* enter; into; under.

biubiuwia *n* basis; background; basement. *adj* basic; fundamental.

biubiuwianact *imit n* surface. *adj* on the surface.

biubiuwiadt panto. v swim; adj n swimming.

biubiuwide adj level, flat.

biubiuwidenue *n* children.

bhiubiuwo *n* afternoon.

biubiuwo adj below.

biubiuwoadate imit v walk.

biubiuwodidedo *n* children.

biubiuwu adj above.

biubiuwaspnact adj up to.

biubiuwidenui adj open; v open up.

biubiuwo adj below.

biubiuwu adj above.

bhiubiuwueno *n* afternoon. *adj* all afternoon.

biubiuwuodate *v* balance, equalise.

biubiuwot v I obey; adj servile.

biubiuwu v grow up, grow up together.

biubiuwuenuodt imit v fly.

biubiuwuini imit v fall off.

biubiuwuodate *v* balance, equalise.

biublowuenao v send.

biuboanact imit n wood, lumber.

biubuiwao v n bribe.

biubuiwaonactdts v run.

biubuiwuiniu v die; n death; adj dead.

biucaowact adj thick.

biucasp imit n v bite.

biufaenu *imit* v find, discover.

biuĝianao imit n snake.

biugowo imit adj deep.

biulaenao v zoom off.

biumaibiuwao imit n prairie, plain.

biumaibodao imit adj humble; meek.

biumaibuwact v prevent, block.

biumaibuwactdt *v* bother. *adj* interference.

biumaico *n* sunset.

biumaicu *imit n* sunrise.

biumaiqiunact adj sharp.

biumeibiuwonact adj than.

biumibiumewonactdint adj comfortable; v comfort.

biumibliuwi adj every night, nightly.

biumiciuwaspne *imit n* stockings, socks.

biumimaibewodu imit v slope. n hill, slope.

biumiwaspbiuwoa n England, Englishman; adj English.

biupuiwaodt imit n v bribe.

biuqactdounu v reflect; shine.

biusawia v boil.

biusaweunia v boil.

biutao adj underneath; under.

biuția *n* basement. *n adj* underneath.

biuviuwaonu imit v foresee. n prophet, augur.

biuwbiuwuoate balance.

biuweibiuwact n floor. also

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biuweibiuwide *n* table, shelf.

biuweibuiwuetnedt imit assembly line.

biuweibuiwune adj all day.

biuweivaenao v cut.

biuwianao adv approximately; all over. eg Bao guweiguwact giwao 4 ou biuwianao. I will meet you around four. 'He' trallunact ppowent 'Arlington' biuwianao. He lives in Arlington or somewhere around there.

biuwo adj short (stature), small. ant biuwu. see bbacht.

biuwonao adj downhill; v go downhill. eg biumimaibewonao. slope, hill. **biuwonedune** imit n valley.

biuwossbiuwide adj not.

biuwot *n* children.

biuwotnit variante of biubiuwodidedo. children.

biuwu *adj* tall, big. also biuwu. *eg 'Texans' beiblacttnu veivide biuwu*. Texans are often very tall.; *Buiyiuwact biuwu bhuibuwou*. that big tree. see also *beiguwunact*.

biuwunao adv adj uphill; v go uphill.

biweibewodtnaodt adj at intervals.

biweibewuenoa imit n gate.

bsiweibsewide *n* fence.

blablawuenao *imit v* limit, restrict; *n* limit, restriction.

blaweiblawui adj how, how?

blaweiblawuino see tuiweituiwoenao fall apart, worn out.

blblianadact *n* plate, dish.

b̂lb̂luidt *v* compare; *n* comparison.

bleiblianadact imit n dish, plate.

bliblewao v go ahead; get along.

blimablemawiadate adj kind, gentle.

blimaible wa onia date v advance, progress. eg Tragawact blimaible wa oniadate tratact. I progressed myself.

blimaibluiwonactdts n bread.

blimaweiblemawidenae adj divorced.

bliubliuwiadideno *n* heaven.

bliumibliumewactt *imit adj* equal, equivalent; *v* equal, get even with.

bliumibliumewano see bliumibliumewo. degradation.

bliumibliumewanu see bliumibliumewu. high, noble.

bliumibliumewo adj low, base; v degrade; n degradation. eg bliumibliumewo 'job'. menial work.; bliumibliumewo ccui kokowuodate. scum, rabble.; Ffuodate gaowao cuicuiwa fhexoe 'common' kokowuodate xiuwo bliumibliumewo taot. If you want to understand common people, you have to bring yourself down to their level.; Ffuodate tragawact baspvounie bao bliumibliumewo tratactt. If I cheat I will degrade myself.

bliumibliumewott *n* next item; *v* progress, take in order.

bliumibliumewu adj high, elevated, noble. eg bliumibliumewu ccui. upper class, high society. eg 'Thoreau' trablblact viweivewide bliumibliumewu fhejut. Thoreau had very noble ideas.; $\hat{P}\hat{p}aot$ bliumibliumewu protiuwact. Teaching is a highly regarded kind of work.

bliumibliumewutt see bliumibliumewott. next item.

bliuwaot *v* remind, call. also *trabliuwactt*. *eg Ckeṭactdadact bliuwiṭ ssachnact*. I remind him yesterday about the meeting.

bluibliuwuenaodt v bark.b

bobowou panto. adj nervous.

bobowuenu v let, allow, permit; n permission. *eg Trabewact fhețoe fa bobowuenu tragawact ttuodate*. My father does not let me drive.

bodido *n* basketball. see also *ccuenut*.

bomaibowuetnaodt v march; n parade.ct

bomaibowuenitde *n* chorus line.

bossbideniu *v* divide; *n* divide; *n* division.

bosswideniu divide.

Bot region. n Baltimore.

bou adj blue.

bou intj Wow!, Phew!

bowuenao *v* go, go away.

bqaspnodt *n* gravy; grease.

btiuwienact n v practice.

bubiuwactdt adj time out.

bubuwactni n town; city.

bubuwao. n hall corridor.

Budano n God.

budiuwuo *n* lift.

b̂uduena *n* God.

Buena see *Budano*. God.

b̂uenao see *b̂ao*. the future.

b̂uenaot v n lecture. ~ndtrabbo. n lecturer.

 $\hat{\mathbf{b}}$ uwe v pass by.

bui adv apparently; v seem, appear.

buibact v stop.

buibanact imit n part. n adj some.

buibanedani *n* pie.

buibaode adj wrong, unsound.

buibaoniudt imit v plough.

buibaonuidt imit v plough.

buibaowaonact v push away.

buibaonact adj correct, right; all right.

buibaowinact v push aside.

buibenactdt *n* broom. *v* sweep.

buibiadact adj n all.

buibinact *imit v* exclude, reject; eliminate.

buibiuwach imit v reduce. adj less.

buibiuwachnou panto. v become smaller.

buibiuwactdianu *n* college.

buibiuwactdt n school.

buibiuwact *v* smash; crush.

buibiuwenactdt *n* paper; newspaper; written assignment.

buibiuwianact v wash one's hands.

buibiuwienact v pardon me; excuse me.

buibiuwinact adj clean, nice.

buibiuwinactdao v decline, refuse; reject.

buibiuwinactdt *v* forgive, excuse. *n* excuse.

buibiuwinactdt v clean.

buibiuwint v become.

buibiuwiunui see biubuiwuiniu. death.

buibiuwoanact v wash one's hands.

buibiuwoss *n* peace. also

~nactdintndbiubiuwideno, .

buibiuwounact *n* cheese.

buiblact again; thousand.

buiblactdaodact often; million.

buibliuwanactdts imit n soap.

buibliuwiadact imit n centre, middle.

buiblowuenao v brush off, reject.

buibounie imit n flag.

buibuimewenact adj new.

buibuiwact adj good.

buibuiwact *v* prove. *n* proof, evidence.

buibuiwactdiudact *n* kitchen. *v* cook.

~**ndtrabbo**, *n* cook.

buibuiwactdt n money.

buibuiwactt money

buibuiwadonao adj born.

buibuiwaonu *v* offer, suggest; move, nominate, propose.

buibuiwe v fire; discharge. adj fired.

buibuiwi panto. v bring, carry. also buibuiwao, buibuiwa. eg Tragawact buibuiwa buibanact cketounact. I brought some apples.; Tragawact buibuiwi cketounact. I brought some apples.; Tragawact buibuiwi cketounact. I will bring you the apples.

buibuiwiadt *adj* here, where. also *buibuiwiedt*.

buibuiwiu v bet: n a bet.

buibuiwo imit adj heavy.

buibuiwoadate *v* serve; *n* service.

~ndtrabbo, . *n* servant, waiter, waitress.

buibuiwu imit adj light. also buibuiwuo, buibuiwuenu and buibuiwuinu.

buibuiwu *v* raise, lift up, rise. also *tuituiwu*. to lift. *eg Cniwact-tndbiubiuwu*. rising waters.

buibuiwuedt *panto. n* hypocrisy, hypocrite; *adj* hypocitical.

buibuiwuodate adj perhaps, who knows?

buibuwou imit n tree.

buicactdt imit n glass, cup.

buicaenedu imit v seize the opportunity; grasp the chance.

buicanact *n* cream.

buicanactdtndtrabbo *n* treasurer.

buiĉanact *v* collect; earn.

buicaowao *v* invest; deposit.

buiciuwactduidact n cookie, biscuit.

buiciuwadt imit n v rake.

buiciuwanactdts v hoard. adj stingy. n miser.

buicliuwao adj rough; cruel.

buicuinact *imit* v hollow; scoop.

buifiuwaonact v count.

buiganedani imit v criticise; cancel; cross out.

buigewactdt v discuss; argue.

buigiadact v graduate.

buigiuwactdianao n next week.

buigiuwaonactdt *v* investigate. *v n* research.

buigiuwinact *n* week; one week. likewise

buiviuwinact, two weeks.

buiziuwinact, three weeks.

buibiuwinact, four weeks.

buiviuwinactduna, two weeks ago.

buigowactdt n debt. v owe.

buigowaonact v pay.

buiguwuenie *imit n* magnetic compass.

buihaonact adj honest.

buihiandbuibiuwinact adj holy.

 $\mbox{\bf buihiuwact}\ v\ \mbox{sign; register.}\ n\ \mbox{signature}.$

cnihawactnd~,

- ~dt, n stamp.
- ~dtnodt, *n* list of names; petition.

buihiuwanactdts imit n butter.

buihowounact imit n screw; screwdriver.

buihuiwunactdt *imit n* spoon; soup; ice cream.

Buijuinactdt n New Jersey.

buikowactdaodact imit v skip.

buikowaonactdts v skip.

buikowie n v party; dance.

builaedt *v* print; publish. *n* newspaper.

~**ndtrabbo**, *n* printer.

builaspnidae n week.

builiuwienact n New London.

buillactdt *n* high heels.

buillaowinact imit adj thick.

buimaibewuidact v arrive, reach.

buimaicuiwact adj thick.

buimiweibuimewueno v lose.

buino adv never.

buipact *n* nothing. *adj* no.

buipaonact *n* nothing, zero.

buipianact *n* nothing, zero.

buipowactdtnodt imit v make a list.

buipowactndbuibiuwact *v* write down; make a note.

buipuiwactdao v buy.

buipuiwactdoenao *v n* waste. *adj* wasteful.

buipuiwactdoeniu adj expensive.

buipuiwactdoenudt adj wealthy, rich.

buipuiwactdtndcuiciuwu adj rich, wealthy.

buipuiwactdts n money.

~ndkkactdtndtrabbo, *n* treasurer.

buipuiwaonactdts v shop; buy.

buiqactdts *n* telegram, wire.

buiqaonact *n* telegram. *v* wire, send a telegram.

buiqianact n medicine, drug; poison.

buiqienact n medicine, drug; poison.

buisaeni adj all gone; exhausted.

~dtus, adj used up, all gone.

buisaowaedpus *imit n* depletion; deflation; disappointment.

buiŝiuwactdeunu n glory.

buisiuwaenudpus v learn.

~**ndtrabbo**, *n* student.

buisoweu v study.

buisowodts v study.

buisowuenactdt imit adj feeble, weak.

buitanactdt imit v look up in a book.

buitaonact *n v* plane. *n* carpenter.

buitiuwactdt n letter.

buițiuwaonactdt imit v scrape.

buitiuwianact v wash dishes.

buitiuwie panto. n v iron.

buitiuwoanact *imit* v rub; wash; polish.

buitu see *fbuiwu*. help.

buiviuwact v lose.

buiviuwiena v read.

buivlact *imit* v kneel.

~dts, n adj Protestant.

buivluiwianact v laugh.

buivluiwianact v laugh.

buivluiwounact *imit* v turn, toss. *adj* restless.

buivowact v stand.

Buivowactdts *n adj* Presbyterian.

buivowactdudact imit v jump. adj joyful.

buivowactduino v fall down; fall.

buivowano *imit* v jump off; get off.

buivowie *n v* party; dance.

buivowou *imit n* compass.

buivowou *imit v* shake, tremble.

buivowounact *imit* v shake in fear.

buivowuidact imit v fall down.

buivowuo *n* lift.

buivuiwact *imit* v lie down; recline.

buivuiwanact v pass out. adj unconscious; exhausted.

buivuiwaonact v fail.

buivuiwiudact imit v get up, rise.

buiwane *adj* welcome; v invite; introduce. also *biubiuwactnd* \sim . see also *bimuibemuiwach*.

buiwbiuwactt school.

buiwcliuwao rough

buiwdowact *adj n* thousand.

buiwdowactdaodact *adj* million. *n* thousands.

buiweibuiwao see buiweibuiwuonao. boat.

buiweibuiwonact adj almost.

buiweibuiwunactdt adj easy.

buiweibuiwuonao *imit n* boat, ship. see also *buizuonao*.

buiweivlaspdt imit n ticket.

buiwo *n* he, she, him, her, this or that person, I, me.

buiwoa v beg. ~ndtrabbo. n beggar.

buiwodido *n* thing. *eg tuinond* ~. anything.

buiwonao adv adj downhill; v go downhill.

buiwossbiuwide adj not.

buiwotnit see buiwodido. thing.

buiwfiuwie *n v* iron.

buiwvuiwanact pass out.

buiwzaonact n car.

buixinactdt imit v write.

buixiuwa *n v* request; *n* request, command.

buiyiumowact *n* plane crash. *v* crash.

buiyiuwachdact imit n plane landing.

buiyiuwact *n* that; it.

buiyiuwact still doing, still happening, all the same. *eg* Tragawact Cnigewao buibact buipuiwoenao buibuiwact biubiuwact fhezuet; buiyiuwact. I told him to stop wasting his money on the horses but he has gone and done it again! see *tosstao*. still.

buiyiuwaonact *n* New York.

buiyiuwaonu v take off (in an aeroplane). n take off.

buiyiuwenact see *yiuyiuwiat*. endless repetition. *eg* Fawat yiuyiuwiat. He keeps lecturing me forever.

buiyiuwinact see tosstao. still.

~dt, adj still.

buiyiuwoanact n New York.

buizact imit v park a car.

buizaonact *n* ship, boat.

buizuonao *imit n* sailboat, ship. see also *buiweibuiwuonao*.

bumaibactdt v frequent.

bumaibienact v flatter.

bumaibuwa *n v* queue.

bumaibuwide *n* queue.

b̂umaib̂uwaot v stream past.

 $\hat{\mathbf{b}}$ umai $\hat{\mathbf{b}}$ uwuenao n people converging on or dashing for a place.

 $\hat{\mathbf{b}}$ umai $\hat{\mathbf{b}}$ uwuonao v walk in a single file.

b̂uwao adj straight. see also *b̂baonact*.

buweibuwideno *n* house.

buweibuwot see taspbot. pray.

buweiguwia *n* hour. also ~*dact*.

buweiguwue *n* minute; second.

buweijonactdt imit v draw. n art; drafting.

bvaspdts v cheat.

bvlwactduinaodact imit n v toast.

bvowounact v hesitate. adj undecided.

bvuiwiudasp imit v mount.

bzbuiwuna n morning.

 $\hat{\mathbf{b}}$ ziubuiwao n oven. v bake.

bziugonao v kill.

c, C

 ${f cacawaedatenu}\ panto.\ v\ {f climb}.$

ĉaĉawaeno *v* take down.

ĉaeda imit v grab, grasp.

ĉaica *n* luxurious, automobile.

ĉao *n v* pass ball in American football.

caocaowaenao *imit* v seize, capture. also

~date, .

caowaedaondbiutiuwao v arrest. adj arrested.

caowaono v force, coerce; n force, coercion.

caowodi imit n cross.

caowoni n cross.

caowou see caowui.

caowui panto. v turn (dial, knob, etc).

caowuo n v scratch, itch.

ćaspteu *n* turtle.

ccachnaetstsus

ccachnou panto. v diminish.

ĉĉaenao imit v catch.

ccaenodate n v milk.

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ccaet *n* milk. *v* milk a cow.

ccasp v marry. n marriage.

ccaspdide *n v* divorce. *adj* divorced.

ccossnactt *n* calculus.

ccu *n* bottle.

ccuenut imit *n* basketball. *v* play basketball.

ccui n group, class. n classes, divisions.

ceicachdact v get together.

ceicact *n* ball; circle.

ĉeiĉoat *n* coconut.

centpuwoenu v grow; n spring.

centsiuwaenu v take out, remove from a container.

ceu n v itch.

ceut see caowuo.

ćfentnudae *v* find.

cgianact *n* circle. *adj* round.

Ĉi n adj Christmas.

cicewoudate imit v wash clothes using a washing machine.

Cido n Chicago.

ĉiuĉiuwacht see protiuwactt work.

ciuciuwaeno imit v catch.

ĉiuĉiuwie v act, do. n action. behaviour. adj active.

~**ndtrabbo**, *n* actor.

ciuciuwot n v rain.

ciuciuwuodate imit v type. n typewriter.

ciuciuwuodatendtrabbo n typist. also

ciuciuwuodate,

ciumiweiciumewidets v analyse.

ciunot imit n pepper.

ĉiuwĉiuwie do, act.

~**ndtrabbo**, *n* actor.

ckebact panto. n bed. v go to bed.

ckebawactdadact n v kiss.

ckebawounactt *n* tobacco.

ckebawuenadt *adj* recently.

ckebiuwactdodact *n* head.

ckeblawianact *n* prostitute.

ckeblawuinact adj shy.

ckeblawuinao adj ashamed.

ckebonact adj brown.

ckebuwonact brown.

ckecact panto. v hear; listen. n sound.

ckecactdts *imit n* measles.

ckeĉeiĉoat n coconut.

ckecou *n* female cousin.

ckefactdadact n American Indian.

ckefactndckebaowaonact *n* bee; mosquito.

ckefaspndnteyou *imit n* gold; California.

ckegact *n* ear.

ckegactdt *n* hearing; ear. *v* hear.

ckegactndntebiuweibiuwact adj n deaf.

ckegactndnteftoadate *n* thunder; loud noise. *adj* loud.

ckehowou *n* niece.

ckehuwactndbuihiuwinact *imit n* secretary.

ckeiuckeiuweuna adj selfish.

ckekuwactndbuikiuwinact *imit n* secretary.

ckepawactdadact *n adj* home.

ckesaenodtdpus imit n peach.

cketactdadact adj yesterday.

cketaonact *n* girl, woman.

~ndntebiuwu, woman.

- ~**ndtrasonact**, lady.
- ~ndntebiuwo, ,
- ~ts, girl.
- ~ndntebuiwbuiweno, mother.
- ~ndntebuiwbuiwenot, grandmother.
- ~ndnteccasp, wife.
- ~ndbyuiniwbuinewact, daughter.
- ~ndnteguiweigiuwact, sister.

cketaonui *n adj* tomorrow. also ~*nact*.

cketawactdtnadtna *n* dentist. also ~ *dt*.

cketawounactt *n* tobacco.

cketoanactt adj daily, ordinary, everyday.

cketoenadzus adj a few days ago.

ckeṭoenaodlus adj in a few days.

cketoenaodzus adj in a few days.

cketonact *n* girl, woman.

- ~ndccasp, n wife.
- ~ndntegiuweigiuwactndfaspfia, sisters.

cketou *n* aunt.

cketounactt *n* apple.

ckevaowonact adj n virgin.

ckevawactdiudact adj day before yesterday.

ckevluinact *adj* impertinent.

ckevuenactdt imit n gum.

ckewawia *n* wine.

ckexasp n ear; ears.

~dt, n birthday.

~ndckebaowaonact, n bee; mosquito..

ckexawianactdt adj a little while ago.

ckexawonactdt *adj* a little while ago.

ckexonact *n* sideburns.

ckexounactt *n* apple.

ckexuonact *adj n* rubber.

ckexuwactndbuixiuwinact *imit n* secretary.

ckeyactndnteyou n gold.

ckeyawact *n v* telephone.

ckeyonact *panto. n v* shave.

ckezawactdactdactnui adj a few days ago.

cnibabawao adj thank you; good.

cnibact panto. v n whisper.

cnibact *n* bitch.

cnibactdidact *n* bachelor.

cnibactdts n v talk.

cnibaobaowactdate adj frustrated, disappointed.

cnibaodt v n talk.

cnibaono v spit.

cnibaowact adj disappointed; frustrated.

cnibawactdiuno adj bad.

cnibawactndbabawactdt *v* praise; applaud. *n* applaud.

cnibawactndbuibuiwact adj good.

cnibawactndckebawact n v kiss.

cnibawao adj thank you; good. also ~nui.

cnibawaodt adj pretty good. also ~s.

cnibawia *n* napkin.

cnibawonactdt adj sweet. n sugar.

cnibewaenudtus adj better; best.

cnibiumabiumawactdt *imit n* sandwich.

cnibiumewiunao send.

cníbiumewuedt n pig.

cni $\dot{\mathbf{b}}$ iunawbiunawactt v eat.

cnibiumewiunao v send.

cnibiuwenact v n lie. adj false.

cnibiuwinact adj drunk.

cnibluibliuwuenaodt imit n v bark.

cnibluibliuwuenaodt v bark.

cnibonact v drool.

cnibossbideno adj calm, quiet, silent.

cnibowunact *v* smile.

cnibsactdt talk.

cnibsaodts talk.

cnibsbsoadate v n talk, chat.

cnibui nothing.

cnibuibiuwaodts imit v n laugh.

cnibuwact n bitch.

cnicactndmyàcaono see caowaono.

cnicaedt imit n orange; lemon.

cnicaene *v* miss; fail to find.

cnicaeno adj old; n age.

cnicaono v n force. see caowaono.

cnicawactndteitonact adj mean; cruel.

cnicawaeno v save.

cnicawaenodtus n Jew.

cnicawaonu *v n* shout, yell, scream.

cnicawiunao adj hot.

cnicawounao v n yell, scream, shout.

cniciuna panto. imit v n drink.

cniciweicewide *imit v n* smile; grin.

cnícliuwinact imit adj unkempt; unshaven, stubbly.

cnicuiciuwuini *imit v n* smile; grin.

cnicuiwie *n* Santa Claus; Christmas.

cnicuiwo *imit n* beard.

Cnidactdt n Dr. Leonard M. Elstad, president of Gallaudet College from 1945.

cnidawonactdts n Jew.

cnifactdt adj fair.

cnifawoena *imit* v take pills.

cnifemawact adj smart; clever; skilful.

cnifemawuinact adj clever; skilful.

cnifodi *n* holy communion.

Cnigact n George E. Detmold, dean of Gallaudet College from 1953.

cnigactdt *n* dentist.

Cnigawact *n* Irving S. Fusfeld.

cnigawact *adj* bitter. *n* disappointment. *v* disappoint.

cnigawactdt *adj* favourite. *n* glass.

~**ndprotiuwact**, *n* stone.

cnigawent *adj* jealous.

cnigaweu adj who.

cnigaweudt adj red.

cnigawi *n* lips; teeth.

cnigawia *n* mouth.

cnigawiadt adj who.

cnigawinact *n* chin.

cnigawiunact adj sour.

cnigawonactdt adj red.

cnigawonactndbimaisaweuno n blood. v bleed.

cnigawonactndfcasawu n v blush.

cnigawonactndguwaspxoenu *imit n* cherry; strawberry.

cnigawonactndtiuweigiuwonact *n* tomato.

cnientndntegui adj jealous, envious.

cnigdactt *n* dentist.

cnigewanact v tell me; told me.

cnigewaonui v tell.

cnigewenact v n lie.

~dts, n Milwaukee.

cnigewenui v say, tell.

cnigewi *imit n* syrup; molasses.

cnigewianaodt v talk, speak. n speech.

 \sim **dts**, v talk at length; talk without stopping.

cnigewie *panto. imit v* brush the teeth. *n* toothbrush.

cnigewounact *n* candy.

cnigewuo *panto. imit v* brush the teeth. *n* toothbrush.

cniggueno *v* answer; order; command.

cnigigewactdao adj famous.

cnigigewao v announce. n announcement.

cnigigewianao *adj* famous. *n* fame.

cnigigewidenao v announce. n announcement.

cnigigewoadate n discussion. v converse.

cniginact *imit* v smile.

 \sim **dt**, imit v laugh. n candy.

~dts, v laugh.

cniguguwoadate n conversation; discussion. v discuss.

cnígunact *n* habitual haughtiness. *adj* snooty.

cniguwach *v* hush, be quiet.

cniguwact v intj 'I did not mean that!'

cniguwactndbhiubaowact v vow; swear.

cniguwactndckeguwact deaf.

cniguwactndprobaowact v n promise.

cniguwao *adj* true, real. *n* truth. *v* be certain.

cniguwona *imit* v swallow.

cniguwonact adj lonesome; lonely.

cniguwuene v lie.

cnihawactndbuihiuwact imit n stamp.

cnihawaodts *panto.* v smoke.

cnihawonactdt *imit n* candy; sugar. *adj* cute; sweet.

cnihewactndbuihiumewinact imit v label.

Cnihewinact imit n adj Mexican.

cnihihewide *imit n* thief, robber.

Cnihuwactdt *n* Frederick H. Hughes, member of Gallaudet College, 1915 – 1956.

cnijentndntejui *adj* jealous. *n* jealousy, envy.

cnijuinact adj jealous, envious.

cnikawactdidact n Richard M. Phillips, Dean at Gallaudet College from 1952.

cnikawonactdt adj pink.

cnilactdt *n* lemon.

cnilactndntegiuweigiuwact n sister.

cnilamailaowaedt *n v* chat; talk; gossip.

cnilaowaedt *imit n* bird; chicken.

- ~**ndbuigowanactdt**, *n* chicken.
- ~**ndntebiubiuwuenuodt**, *n* bird.

cnilawact *adj n* lesbian.

cnileudt who.

cnillowactndtrallowact *n* turkey.

cnipapawachniadate n food; banquet. v eat; eat well.

cnipawach n food. v eat.

cnipawactdt *imit* v eat. n food.

cnipawactndbhiubowact *n* evening meal.

cnipawactndbiubuwact n noon meal.

cnipawactndbzbuiwuna *n* breakfast.

cnipawactndckebact n adj home.

cnipawactndntepuimaipuiwaodt v feed.

cnipawactndtracacawonact panto. v starve. adj hungry.

cnipawoenao adj warm.

cniposspidenoe *n* nothing.

cnippoenao *n* nothing.

cnipuipuiwactnao adj smooth.

cniqactdactnao adj delicious.

cniqactdt *adj* favourite. *n v* taste.

cniqactdudinact *n* male homosexual.

cniqawiu adj delicious.

cniract n restaurant. also ~didact.

cniraowact imit n cigar.

cnisactduino *n* daughter.

cnisactndnteccasp n wife.

cnisactndtrasact *n* woman.

cnisactt *n* mother.

cnisaena v intj 'Shut up!' also ~dpus.

cniŝamaiŝaowaeniedt v talk; chat; gossip.

cnisaono imit v vomit; detest.

cnisaowaedtdpus v n talk; chat; gossip.

cnisaowaenadpus v inhale fresh air.

cnisawactndntesuisuiwaeno adj wet.

cnisawaedpus adj stale; air-tight.

cnisawaenodpus imit n Hebrew, Jew. adj Jewish, Hebrew.

cnisaweu n colour.

cniseu *n* mother.

cnisinact v n farm. n farmer, farming.

cnísiuweu *adj* dirty.

cnisonactndtrasact *n* woman.

cnisuiwaenodpus *imit n* beard.

cniṭactdoenedeno *n* grandmother.

cnitactdt adj private; secret.

cniṭactdt *n* beer; pub.

cnitactndbiutaonact *v* hide. *adj* hidden.

cnitactndtrasact n woman.

cnitao v pull a tooth.

cnitao not

cnitaonactt *n* nuts.

cniṭaowe *adj* drunk, intoxicated.

cnitawact adj wrong.

cnitawactdt n menstruation.

cnitawactndbuitiuwact n letter.

cniṭawactndcnigawonact *n* strawberry.

cnitawoenao *adj* warm.

cnitiumaowact *imit n* bishop.

cnitiutiuwoenao nothing.

cnitiuwactndcketiuwact telephone.

cnitiuwo *n* ice cream. also ~dt and biuwhuiwunactt.

cnitiuwoe see cnisiuweu. dirty.

cnito adj old; n age. also

~ano, .

cnitoe n mother. also

~nui, .

cnitoenuisus *n* mother.

cnitonact adj patient. n patience. v put up with, be patient.

cnitounact v suffer, endure, bear. also *cnitounact*.

cnittidenoe *n* blessing. *v* bless.

cnituinaitoene *n* grandmother.

cnivactdt *n* vinegar.

cnivaemawactdoenu imit n goat.

cnivawiadt v read lips. n lip-reading.

cnivliuwianao imit n snake.

cniwactdt *n* water. also *cniwactdienao*.

- **~ndfcapoe**, *imit v* baptise. *n* baptism.
- ~**ndfcawact**, *imit n* baptism.
- ~**ndntebbienao**, *n* stream.
- ~**ndntebiubiuwu**, *n* flood.
- ~**ndnteciuciuwodt**, *n* rain; snow.
- ~**ndntesiumaisiuweunao**, *n* river.
- ~**ndnteŝiumaiŝiuwuonao**, *n* ocean.
- ~ndntesiusiuweuno, n v rain; snow.

~ndnteviuviuwactdtndnteŝiumaiŝiuwuodao, n salt sea.

cnixactndbuixinact imit n pencil.

cnixactndntexao intj 'I mean it!'

cnixactndxao see xao.

cnixawe n lipstick.

cnixawie *imit n* lipstick. *v* put on lipstick.

cnixiuwinact adj dry; boring.

cnixoenaodgus v spit.

cnixoeweu who.

cnixoewiudt *imit* v drink. n alcoholic drink.

cniyactdt imit n pipe.

cniyactndgyiunaodts v swear; curse.

cniyactndmyaaiyone v make fun of; jest.

cniyaowe imit adj drunk.

cniyawact *n* mistake. *adj* wrong; erroneous. *v* make a mistake.

cniyiumaiyiuwaodt v mock; ridicule.

cniyonao imit n Holland. adj Dutch.

cnizact adj dressy; dressed up.

cnizaowaedt imit n duck.

cniziunact adj dressed up.

cowaonu panto. v bowl; n bowling.

csuiwaenopus adj gone.

ctawentno v feel chagrined.

ĉuĉuwuodate n v cat.

cuiciuwaspdint *n* peace; hamburger.

cuiciuwiadaenu imit n storm.

cuiciuwiadate v mix. adj mixed up, confused.

cuiciuwint adj upside down.

ćuiciuwiunui *adj* upset. *n* things in confusion.

cuicuiwaenadate v haul in.

cuicuiwao n people or things coming together, many. adj many.

cuicuiwat v want.

cuicuiweut v want.

cuicuiwiu v do not want to.

cuicuiwiunu]*imit n* vase, bowl.

Ĉuini *n adj* Christmas.

ĉuiwaedat v subscribe.

cuiwciuwact v bite.

cvaedentno adj both.

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cvawaenohus v both.

cxowia v stir, whip, mix.

d. D

daowi n adj east.

ŝawia *n* Europe; *n adj* European.

ddied n adj Easter.

dduidact n adj Easter.

dewuo *n* lift.

dout n adj Easter.

duo see buiwvowuo. lift.

f, F

faena v choose. n choice.

 $\hat{f}a\hat{f}aowadaot \ n \ v \ preach(ing) \ one thing and do(ing) another.$

fao *n* hole.

faot v preach.

faotndtrabbo *n* preacher, minister.

faspfia co-operate.

~ndtrabbo, members.

faspfie adj associated, connected.

faspfo associated, related.

faspfoa adj related, connected.

faspfoenide *v* disconnected, unfasten.

fawo adv on Fridays, every Friday.

fcababawoss n darkness. adj dark.

fcababawuenadt adj cool; pleasant; cheerful.

fcabact panto. n bed. v go to bed.

fcabactt panto. n hair. also fcabactdt.

fcabawbawia v wash the face. also fcababawia.

fcabawe v overlook, miss, not notice.

fcabawo adj in front of.

fcabawe v miss, overlook.

fcabawou panto. n mirror.

fcabbao *v* concentrate. *n* attention.

fcabbo n attention. v concentrate.

fcabbudactdtnudtnu n pope.

fcabbuenaodt imit adj filled up, fed up, full.

fcabewo adj in front of .

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fcabewodaenutus adj because.

fcabewo v overlook, miss, not notice.

fcabewodaenutus. because.

fcabgeu panto. n camera. v take pictures, photograph.

fcabiubiuwactndtrabiubiuwact n nun.

fcabiumabiumawunact n v blush.

fcabiumewactdudact n v blush.

fcabiumibiumewidenodaeppus. n nun.

fcabiunawbiunawo long hair.

fcabiunawbiunawu short hair.

fcabiuwactdt *n* hat, cap.

fcabiuwuena hair standing on end from fright.

fcablablawuinact adj shy.

fcablablawuinao adj ashamed; shame on you.

fcabossbiedt adj trouble.

fcabouno wavy or curly hair. also

~una, .

fcabțeu panto. n camera. v take pictures.

fcabubuwundfcabiubiuwine *n* fool, blockhead.

fcabumabumawuenadt adj pleasant.

fcabunawet panto. col adv secretly, on the sly. also fcabumawedt.

fcacacawact adj fat.

fcacacawactdtnudt imit n measles.

fcacacawao adj fat.

fcacaedat permanent wave [hair].

fcacawach adj angry.

fcacacawaeno v be patient, control oneself.

fcacaweudt adj cross, bad-tempered; angry. also ~s.

fcacawia adj dizzy.

fcacawu adj thick. also ~nact.

fcaccact adj awake, wakeful. n mumps.

fcaĉĉact imit n radio.

fcaccoat shampooing hair.

fcaciadt panto. v search, look for.

fcaĉiuwa n lion.

fcaĉiuweuna *n* lion.

fcacuicuiwo adj weary.

fcafao 'by a hair', 'a close shave'.

fcaffasp *n* earrings.

fcagawia *v* look. *n* face; looks.

fcaggiana curling hair.

fcaggianu curling hair.

fcahuwodi adj n Catholic.

fcajodi adj Italian. n Italy, Italian.

fcalaet pinning hair; hair pins.

fcalla crew cut [hair].

fcallawo adj thin.

fcallawu adj thick. also ~nact..

fcallllact adj wakeful.

fcallllide adj conceited.

fcapawoets flash (in signer's face).

fcapoedt v n shower; baptism.

fcappuedt *n* owl.

fcaqia adj bald. also fcaqia.

fcarro pigtails [hair].

fcarroate pigtails [hair].

fcasasaweuna adj pleasant.

fcasasawo adj sad.

fcasawaenopus v n sleep. adj sleepy.

~**ndtuitiuwact**, *v* sleep soundly.

fcasasaweuna adj pleasant; cool; cheerful.

fcasasaweunu adj cheerful; pleasant.

fcasaweuno adj dark-coloured.

fcasasawu n embarrassment. v embarrass. adj embarrassed; embarrassing.

fcasawianaedpus adj pretty, beautiful.

fcasawo v n sleep. adj sleepy. also ~nact, fcasawuedt, fcasawueno.

fcasowsowou lanky or loose hanging hair.

fcassactdounao *n* noise. *adj* noisy.

fcassactndŝiuŝiuwou adj noisy.

fcata hair-cut.

fcatawtawuo panto. v wash the face. also fcatatawuo.

fcatiutiuwoeno hair that has lost its curl from dampness.

fcattasp n earrings.

fcatto n tragedy. also ~nact.

fcavaenut haircut, barber, barber shop (men).

fcavewinactdonact n Virgin Mary; virgin; nun.

fcavvaenut haircut, trim (women).

fcaxaxawonact v cry; weep.

fcaxot combing the hair; a comb.

fcaxxasp *n* ears; earrings.

fcaxxoenaodllus v surprise; wake up. n surprise.

fcayawuedt why.

fcazact *imit n* cock, rooster.

fca2lo *imit n* championship.

feifachnuts v sew.

feifao *v* postpone; *adj* postponed.

feifide *n* sentence.

feifideniu *n* sentence.

feifidenou *n* language.

feifiniut *n* sentence.

feifoenots n rosary.

feifuidact *n* family.

ffactdoenao adj useless, worthless.

ffaenadate v choose. n choice.

ffao v postpone.

ffasp v join.

~**ndtrabbo**, *n* member.

ffaspdidenaets see cnigewianaot. talk.

ffaspdint *imit n* chain.

ffianudact n value. adj valuable.

ffie see nteppao. nothing

ffiedate *n* justice. *n* justice, court. *adj* if.

ffint *v* substitute, exchange; *adj* instead.

ffiunudact *n* value, worth. *adj* important, worthy.

ffo adj determined, firm. v decide. n decision.

ffoadate v explain, describe.

ffuoate if.

fhebact v bump the head against sth.

fhebaobaowuet *n* mule.

fhebawact v know. n knowledge.

~diunao, v do not know.

fhebawactndbamubaomuwue v n hope. also $\sim t$.

fhebawactndttact *fml v* remember; *n* memory.

fhebawaenodyus adj why.

fhebbunactdate n invention. v invent.

fhebewactdaenutus because.

fhebewaenitus forget.

fhebiuweune *panto. n* sweat. *v* perspire.

fheblawactt *n* cabbage; lettuce.

fhebuenaodt adj ridiculous!

fhebunact *n* invention. *v* invent. also ~dao.

fhebuwact *n* bastard.

fhecactndntepoene *n* sunshine; moonlight.

fhecactndbeicaowact *n* picture; portrait.

~**trabbo**, *n* photographer.

fhecactt *n* sun; moon.

~**ndĝiandp̂oene**, *n* sunlight.

fhecaene v guess.

fheĉĉidenae *n* president.

fheciuwinactndntesiunao adj hot.

fhecou *n* cousin.

fheffoenao adj awful.

fhefia *n* Finland, Finn. *adj* Finnish.

fhegactndttact *col v* remember; *n* memory.

fhegawactndgigewide v disagree.

fhegawactnodiunao adj for.

fhegaweunactdts v suspect. adj suspicious.

fhegaweunu v n dream. adj dreamy.

fhegawinact *n* forehead, brow.

fhegawiunao *adj* for.

~dts, adj what for?

fhegewia adj crazy.

fhegewiadact *n* government.

~**trabbo**, *n* governor.

fhegewinact adj black.

fhegia *n* Denmark, Dane. *adj* Danish.

fhegigewachdt n headache. v have a headache.

fheguinact *n* China, Chinese. *adj* Chinese.

fheguweu *adj* astonished, puzzled.

fheguwounu adj brilliant.

fheguwunact adj brilliant, intelligent.

fhehahawuedt *n* rabbit.

fhehaowuedt *n* horse.

fhehia *n* uncle.

fhehodia n adj Norway; Norwegian.

fhehonact *n* uncle.

fhehou *n* uncle.

fhehot *n* uncle.

fhehowia *n* nephew.

fhehowou *n* nephew.

fhehuwao *v n* honour.

fhehuwodi adj n Catholic.

fheuwonactdt *n* uncle.

fhehuwou *n* uncle.

fhejjianaodate *n* imagination. *adj* imaginary.

fhejodi *adj n* Italian. *n* Italy.

fheju n idea, concept. v imagine, suppose.

fhejuinact *n v* Japan; Japanese.

fhejunact *n v* Japan, Japanese.

fhekowia n adj Poland, Pole, Polish.

fhelactdt *n* Abraham Lincoln.

fhelaeni *n* Thomas Hopkins Gallaudet; Gallaudet College; eyeglasses.

fhelawact *v* shoot oneself.

fhelawactdaenu because.

fhe\hat{p}a\hat{p}awoenao v inform. n information.

fhepapawoeno v obey.

fhepawactndfhebawact remember.

fhepawactndfhebawact remember former mistake or unfortunate experience.

fhepaweunact adj preoccupied.

fheppactndnte \hat{p} paodt v teach.

fheppactn $d\hat{p}$ paot v teach.

fheppoenao awful.

fheqact *panto. adj* sick, ill. *n* sickness.

fheqaeqaewoenao *adj* awful. *n* horror.

fheqinact intj 'No idea!'

fheqiu adj smart, clever.

fheqounu adj smart, intelligent.

fhequinact adj sick.

fherao n v respect.

fheriadt n reason, cause. v reason.

fhesaenidtdpus *n* experience.

fhesaosaowactt n deer.

fhesaosaowuet *n* mule.

fhesawaenaotus memorise.

fhesawuenactdt *adj* feeble minded.

fhesiuwaenaodpus *n* man, boy.

rp ndbhuimibuimewact, n son.

- ~**ndnteĥiuwo**, *n* boy.
- ~**ndnteĥiuwu**, *n* man.
- ~**ndntebuibuiweno**, *n* father.
- **~ndntebuibuiwenodt**, *n* grandfather.
- ~**ndnteccasp**, *n* husband.
- ~**ndntegiuweigiuwact**, *n* brother.
- ~ndtrasact,
- ~**trasueno**, *n* gentleman.

fhesiuwaenaondccasp *n* husband.

fhesui adj determined, stubborn.

fhetact keep in mind.

fhetactndttact *v* remember; *n* memory.

fhetaitidenoe *n* idea, recollection.

fhetawact adj stupid, ignorant.

fhetsawiuni v rebel, disobey.

fhetsia n adj Sweden, Swedish, Swede.

fhevactdiudact v misunderstand.

fhevactduidact *v* misunderstand.

fhevaowact adj dumb.

fhevuenedts *adj* careless. *n* carelessness.

fhexawoedgus *v* understand.*n* understanding.

fhexawoenao *v* understand.

fhexawonactdt v suspect. adj suspicious.

fhexaxawoedate v sympathetic, tolerant, indulgent.

fhexia adj crazy.

fhexinact *n* summer.

~ndntesiunao, intj 'It's hot!'

fhexinactndfheciuwinactndntesiunao adj hot.

fhexo hat, cap.

fhexodt *adj* wise. *n* wisdom, philosophy.

fhexuedt *adj* wise. *n* wisdom, philosophy.

fheyaowactdt stupid.

fheyuedt *n* cow, cattle.

fhezeu *n* devil; mischief. *adj* mischievous.

fhezuedt *n* horse.

fia n adj Friday.

ffie *n* nothing.

fiufiuwot v bleach, dye.

fiuweifiuwide imit n diploma, degree.

fiuwot *n* pepper. also

~S.

fiuwui *n* France; *adj* French.

fossfideniu see ntefossfide. free.

fowaenu v discover, find.

fossfideniu see fossfide. free.

fsawianae beautiful.

~ndtu, most beautiful.

fwd *n* hole.

fuiwfiuwedi adj unfair, not fair.

fuifiuwint *v* translate, interpret. *n* translation.

~**ndtrabbo**, *n* interpreter, translator.

g, G

ĝa adj fast; far.

-gact sfx first of.

bh~, first of four.

1~,

v~, first of two.

s~, first of five.

z~, first of three.

ĝaĝawiunu n success.

gaiyiuwact *n* big words, arrogant speech.

gamaigiuwachdact adj until.

gamaigiuwact adj to. v go to.

ĝao adj far; fast.

gaodeus see gaodius.

gaodius *n* he, she, you, they, you.

gaogawat v n struggle.

Gaondbudano see Budano. God.

gaowaonu v insult.

gasppou *imit n* cherry.

gawa n me, I.

gaweigawidedodach n square.

ĝaweiĝawunactdate *n* stars.

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ĝawia something.
gbowaonact n speciality; major subject.
gdino n Detroit.
gdino adj damn.
gdiuwoanact n streetcar.
gduwiet adj n Democrat, diamond; adj deuce (tennis score).
gduwou adj n Democrat; diamond.
geigideniu v divorce.
geiŝaweu n candle.
geiŝou imit n leaf, leaves.
geuna v ask, inquire.
gewi adj first.
ggact adj correct, right; proper.
ggactdts adj regular.
ggactnoss imit n v cross. n crossing.
ggactt imit n corner.
\dot{g}gaena v get.
ggeudoenassus v question, ask. n examination.
ggeunadate v ask, question; interview; interrogate.
ĝĝianadate n v sign.
~ndfeifidenou, n sign language.
ggossnact v cross, intersect. n intersection; conflict.
ggossnactdt n geometry.
ggounactdate imit v to fence.
ggounuodate imit v kick.
gguene v come, go.
ghaonactdts n knife.
ĝhuĝowianit v travel.
gia n circle. adj round.
giada v inquire, question.
ĝiandpoene see fhecactt. sun, moon.
giat imit v spin, whirl.
ĝiana n snake.
gido n region. Detroit.
gie 'z'.
gieno imit n lightning.
\hat{\mathbf{g}}i\hat{\mathbf{g}}ewachniadt n evil, sin. v sin, trespass.
gigewacht n pain, injury. v hurt, suffer. eg
cke~, toothache;
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fhe~, headache; etc.

gigeweunide v vary. adj various.

gigewiadt adj about.

gigewianadate v go, come.

gigewianaodate v come, go; tumble, roll.

gigewide adj opposite, opposed. v disagree.

~**ndtrabbo**, *n* enemy, opponent.

gigewou v n quarrel.

gigonact n adj half.

giguwact *adj* plus. *n* the positive sign.

gino adj damn.

giugiuwa adj while, during; parallel.

giugiuwactnossda imit v relax, rest.

giugiuwaspnactda v rest, sit back, relax.

giugiuwaspnu v suspend.

giugiuwonact v can not.

ĝiuĝiuwuodate v vary, fluctuate.

giuwaspgiuwu v suspend.

giuweigiuwactdidact adj same, too.

giuweigiuwactt adj same, also, too.

giuweigiuwaoni imit v deviate, diverge.

giuweigiuwoanactdate n stockings, socks.

biuweibuiwune adj all day.

giuwossgiuwide conj but. adj different.

-tnidt, *n* variations, various things.

giuwossgiuwo v depend.

giuwgiuweunide see laowlaoweunide.

giuxasp imit v hang sth up.

giwactsaweu n candle.

giweibao v show; n example.

giweiĝewiadact adj all year round.

giwgeweunide see laowlaoweunide.

gjaonact n adj iron.

gllact *n* word.

glaenao *imit* v recede into the distance.

gogowianadact imit n plate.

ĝoĝowianodt n running.

ĝoĝowianot imit n running.

gogowodaodo *imit n* table. also ~*ndbiuweibiuwide* and *bhiubiuwactt*.

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gogowou v tremble, shake.
gogowuodate n uphill walking, tiptoe. v walk.
gossgeunidet imit
~s, v crochet.
~ndtrabbo, n shoemaker.
gossgiunactdts n v change. n coins.
gossgoanactdate imit v knit.
gou adj green.
gowiat imit v spin.
gowgowianadact n plate, dish.
gowo adv down; deep.
gtiuwienact v polish; v n practice.
ġtsaonact n steel; iron; metal.
gu adv up.
gucact v surround.
gueiguwact v meet.
~dout, v mingle, associate with.
gufaspdu adj exceptional. v except.
gugewinact n adj half.
gugachnuidact n v hit.
gugowia imit v turn, revolve; circle. adj around.
gui n one dollar.
guigiuwach panto. v diminish; reduce. also ~nou.
guiguiwiu v agree.
guiguiwiu v happen. n occurrence. adj accidental.
ĝuiwia always; only. n someone; something.
~ndyiuwanu, n eternity.
ĝuiwie adj always; alone. n someone; something.
~ndyiuwanu, adj eternal. n eternity.
gulaspdu adj except; exceptional. v except.
guluonact imit n corn. v husk.
gumaibactdt v frequent.
gumaibienact v flatter.
gumaidiuwuonact n lift.
gumaigact n point. adj to the point.
gumaigewenact adj off the point. v change the subject; digress.
gumaigewonact n month.
gumaigewuonact imit n temperature.
gumaigiadact adj when.
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gumaisaowuenact imit v overpower, suppress.
gumaisia v surround.
gumaivliuwact v get hold of; contact.
gumaixa adj from.
gumaixactdt v pick on sb.
gumawietdao v walk alone; adj lonely. also
~dt, .
gumawuonaot n person.
gumawuotnaodt n a person walking alone.
gunaibactt v frequent, patronise a place.
gunaibienact v flatter.
gunaisaowuenact v overpower; suppose.
gunaitact v hit.
~tienact, v beat up.
gunaitaowact v persuade; seduce; fool; n diplomacy.
gunawuonaot n person.
gupaspdu adj exceptional. v except.
gusiuwou n helicopter.
guvasp v post; apply.
guvlaspna imit v catch, hook.
guwaspxoenu adj infinitesimal.
ĝuwe v pass by.
ĝuweiĝuwidedodach n sign, notice; square.
~ndguvasp, v post.
guwia n dictionary.
guwie n dictionary.
guwiet adj where. see also buiwbuiwiat.
guwoenovus n adj one half.
guwsiuwou n helicopter.
guwuet see ntetosstoenaot. scold.
guxonactdts n banana.
guxuinodts n banana.
guzliuwact n imit championship.
gvowounact v waver.
gxactdtnaodt n beans, peas.
gxiuwaonactdt n sewing machine.
gxoeni v eliminate.
gyiunaodts v swear.
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gyiuwactdt *n* cigarette.

h. H

hanuwo adv Thursdays, every Thursday.

haspza v take; borrow (with no intention of repaying); mooch, sponge.

hhactnossdideniu n egg, eggs.

~**ndtiuwxia**, *n* eggbeater.

hhactnosst *v n* name; be named.

hhoanactt *adj* short (length, distance, time).

hhuenaot v hurry.

hĥiadact *n* universe.

hi *n* hell; Go to hell! also

~hiuwi, .

himiuhemiuwactdintnut *n* build.

- ~**ndbuweibuwideno**, *n* building.
- ~**ndtrabbo**, *n* builder.

hiuwhiuwactts n salt.

\hat{h}iuwhiuwui n v decrease, decrement; n a falling off. also

∼ts,

hiuwhliuwact v sit; n chair; furniture.

hiuwhowudo feet first.

hiuwhowuino n v dive.

hiuwhuiwiudact n v increase.

hiuwosshiuwoanactt n railroad; train.

hiuwosshliuwa throne (in church services).

hiuwu adj n north.

hiuwvlounact adj restless; unable to sit still.

hiuwzasp v borrow; mooch; cadge.

hlaowhlaowuinao *v* sit in a circle. also *hlaohlaowuinao*.

hlhlodit furniture.

ho *n* history.

hodido adj hard of hearing.

hosshaono adj named, called.

hosshideniu n egg, eggs.

~**ndtiuwxia**, *n* eggbeater.

hosshuet *n* rabbit; weight; pounds.

Hot *n* Hartford.

hunaowiat v use; n university.

hu adj high.

huwcaspno v dress, put on clothes.

huwia n Thursday.

huwiandbuiwbiuwinact adj holy.

j, J

jaspxoenu adj tiny, infinitesimal.

jeijidenadact (variant of pjianact. island.)

jentpu *n* ego; *adj* egotistical.

jia *n adj* insurance.

jie n adj insurance.

jiet *adj n* independent.

jiweijewi *n* thread, string.

jiwjewide *n* thread, string.

-neu, n spaghetti; also signed humourously buiwsiuwiadaenupus.

jiwjonact n adj last.

jiwjuwo *n* a dangling thread or strand.

jjactt *n* institution.

jui 'j'.

juwjowu *n* skinny person; 'bean pole'.

k, K

keikact see kuinaiwkact. adj perfect.

keikidenadact n place. also

keikidenaodact, .

kewiunit *n* table tennis, ping pong.

khka v borrow, lend me. also

~no,

khkao v lend someone, loan. also

~nu, .

khkianiet v supervise.

~**ndtbbo**, *n* supervisor.

Kido *n* Philadelphia.

kie *n* kitchen.

kka borrow.

kkact v keep; be careful; take care of; adj careful.

kkianuo v keep; be careful; take care of; *adj* careful.

kko n person.

kokowuenu v permit. n permission.

kowkowodido adj proportional, in proportion to.

kowkowuenu n permission; v permit, let.

kowkowuoate *n* people.

kowou adj purple.

kuinaikact *adj* perfect; *n* perfection. **kuinaikiadact** *adj* perfect; *n* perfection.

1, L

lae *adj n* twenty.

Indntes, twenty-five, etcbut

viuwodido, twenty-two.

lae When I finish my ..., we'll leave.

laena v choose. n choice.

Îailao *n* hunting; *v* hunt.

laileuna adv fast, rapid.

laileunaotts v get going, do it quickly. both this and laileuna are variants of ttoenuttus fast and laspleunao run. cf leugt. gun.

 $\hat{l}ai\hat{l}u n$ hunting; v hunt.

laowlaoweunide *adj* various, and so forth; *n* variety.

laspleunao v run.

le adj n left.

leunaot v shoot.

leut n gun.

lgact first of two.

lgactdaodact *adj* then; or.

lgonactdinact *math n* angle.

lia *n* library.

liandtrabbo *n* librarian.

liweilewact *n* triangle.

llao n v hold up.

llaspdidenaet v talk, tell a story.

lleillact *n* circle. *adj* round.

llide *adj* large, big, extension.

Illloq *n* plate, dish.

lluenoa *n* rocking chair; *v* rock.

llui *imit* v turn the dial.

lowaenu *n* find.

luena v I'm next.

luenaot v (in parliament procedure) I second the motion.

luidiu v take turns; adj in order.

m, M

mfibawenactt *n adj* Negro. **mfibawut** *v n* smell.

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mfibiunawout adj crazy about, wild over.

mfibiuwuina n elephant. also

~ono, .

mfibuenao v ignore, neglect, disregard.

mfibuwunactt v be snooty; adj stuck up.

mficaicaenao panto. adj absorbing, interesting.

mficawactdts n freckles.

mficue adj odd, queer, strange.

~ntekko, odd person, queer person.

mfifactdiuno *adj n* not much. *eg Mfifactdiunot ciuciuwots* That was not much of a rain.

mfifactdadact *n* American Indian.

mfifawactdiuno derog adj small.

mfifawasp v n stink.

mfififewide n cat.

mfifuedt *n* fox.

mfigact n nose.

mfigactcmntetiuwia panto. v study, swot.

mfigactndbuigiuwact v fall in love with.

mfigawact n eye.

mfígewou n kid.

mfigiunao v do not care. adj indifferent.

mfigossgeunidedxxus adj ugly.

mfiguinact v feel lazy, be reluctant.

mfigunact *adj* haughty. *n* habitual haughtiness.

mfiguwenactdt n mouse.

mfiguwo n Greece, Greek. adj Greek.

mfihawactdodact n adj Roman; Rome; Latin.

mfihawenactt n adj Negro; Africa.

mfihawounact n Negro; Africa.

mfihawonact adj funny.

- -ndntehiumihiumewuonact, n fun.
- -ndntehiumihiumewuonact nteppao, 'It's no laughing matters.'

mfijawactndntejaweijawact lonely.

mfikawactdt v urinate. n urine.

mfilalawaenaodttus interesting.

mfillowou turkey; Thanksgiving.

mfipactdedact n flower.

mfipactdidact n flower.

mfipoeniu *adj* indifferent. *v* do not care.

mfiqenactdt Negro.

mfirenactdt n rat.

mfisawaenaopus n wolf.

mfiseu derision. humour.

~ndntexuenao, 'I give you mfiseu'.

mfitsui a mild profanity indicating disgust, rejection, or disbelieve.

mfivamiuwach adj blind.

mfivawactdt v wait and see.

mfivawao v see.

mfivaweudt v doubt.

mfivaweunao v doubt.

mfiviuwaod(a,e,i) v look at, watch.

mfivlact strict.

mfivlivlewact *n* squirrel.

mfivuenedt adj careless. n carelessness. also ~s.

mfixasp v fool.

mfixawactndpxiuwentt v snoop. adj snoopy, annoyingly curious.

mfixawactndxuixiuwactdt n old maid, spinster.

mfixawaenaodt v have a cold.

mfixawasp v n stink.

mfixawonactdt imit v have a cold. n cold; handkerchief.

mfixonact v fool.

~**ndnteĥhuiĥuiwie**, *n* dool.

mfixounactdt n onion.

mfixue adj ugly.

mfiyiedt adj foolish.

mfiyiunao *v* do not care. *adj* indifferent.

mfiyonactdt adj silly.

;mfiyuenedt adj silly, foolish.

mfizaono adj lousy.

mfizeu n bug.

mrabiuwactduidact adj powerful, strong, forceful.

mrabiuwanactduidonact n Scotland, Scot.

mrabiuwonact n arm.

mracact adj powerful, strong, forceful.

mrahanactdonact n hospital.

mrajanactdonact n infirmary.

mralact *n* 'coke'; shot, injection; carbonated beverage.

mravuonact n corporal.

mrazuonact n sergeant.

myábact n elbow.

myabactdaot v decline, regress.

myabewactduidact n birthday.

myabianact *n* countryside, country, nation.

myabiuwonactt n autumn, fall.

myabiuwunact adj since autumn.

myàcaono v n force. see caowaono.

myáciuwactt n cracker.

myaeibuiwact v improve; n improvement.

myafact *n* hole (in clothing).

myágactduinodact n wastebasket.

myaganact adj long.

myágonact v punish.

myaĝactduinaodact adj episcopal, Episcopalian.

myasaenotpus *n* banana.

myásuiwaenotpus adj poor. eg gianao fhesiuwaenao. the poor man.

myátiuwactt n cracker.

myátiuwoe n ragged clothing.

myavactdidact n bridge.

myaveweuna v steal.

myavuiwaenets n sheep, lamb.

~**ndkkacttndtrabbo**, *n* shepherd.

 $my\acute{a}xactt\ v\ tempt;\ n\ temptation.$

n, N

- -ndau sfx -er and -est. eg llide large, llidendau larger, llidendau largest.
- -ndcao n adj -hundred.
- -ndci n adj ~hundred.
- -ndṭu sfx ~er, comparative.
- -ndtu sfx ~est, superlative.

nkebaniuwact adj broke.

nkebiunewaonactt *n* head senior.

nkebiuwunact adj full; satisfied, contented; fed up.

nesiuwaonactt *n* head junior.

nkecawaeno v restrain one's feelings, repress.

nkecawuonact *n* throat.

nkefossnuo adj curious, eager to know.

nkegactt *n* neck.

nkegawonact adj thirsty; v thirst for, desire.

nkehawactdo *n* necktie.

nkehiwhewide *n* bowtie.

nkellanact *n* priest.

nkellllaonact *n* collar.

 $nke \hat{t}awu v$ hang, be hanged.

nkevawact adj stuck.

nkevawonactt n voice.

nkevawunactt *n* voice.

nkevlaenawoet n frog.

nkeyu *v* hang, be hanged.

ntebaspfaodt *n* meat; flesh.

ntebaspvianoa v ride.

ntebbiedate adj trouble.

ntebbuenaodt *n v* talk; chat.

ntebiubiuwanactdint n gloves.

ntebiubiuwao *v* watch; observe.

nteĥiuno adj bad.

nte \hat{b} uenaodt n lecture; speech. v address; lecture.

ntebuibuiwu imit 'Everybody please stand up!'

ntebuibuiwuodate 'may be'.

ntebuitu n v help.

ntebuivowuo n lift.

nteĥuiwo individual.

ntebuizuonao *n* ship, boat.

ntebumaibuwide imit n v queue.

nteĉiuĉiuwachdts n hard work, toil. v labour.

nteĉiuĉiuwie *n* action, activity. *v* act, behave. *adj* active.

nteĉuĉuwuodate v n chat; talk.

nteffaspdidenaedt v talk; account. n story; explanation.

nteffie *n* nothing, immaterial.

nteĝaĝawiunu n success.

nteggactdtnaodt adj regular.

nteĝĝie v talk.

nteggossnact *n* conflict.

ntegigewou *n* quarrelling; arguing.

ntegogowodado *n* table. also ~*ndntebiuweibiuwide*.

ntegogowou *v* legs trembling; fear.

ntegowo imit adj deep.

ntehosshuedt *n* rabbit.

ntelaolaoweunide adj various.

ntellaspdidenaedt n story. v account; relate.

ntepaopaowoenao n headlights.

ntepaowoets v blink. n blinking lights.

ntepoenao v send.

nteppao *n* no, none, no one, nothing, nobody, nil, zero.

nteppie *n* nothing, immaterial.

nteppoenao n nothing.

ntesasaweunoadate *n* birthday.

nteseiside adj much; too much.

ntessaspdidenaedt *v n* talk. *n* story.

ntetaowuedt 'Yes'.

ntetawiuni intj 'Refuse'.

ntefia v wash windows; polish the car.

ntetitewianaodate *panto. n* suffering, pain, injury. *v* suffer, endure; hurt. *adj* hurt, sore.

ntetiutiuwoenao *n* nothing.

ntetiutiuwuodate 'doubtful'.

ntetou 'No'.

ntefue bow the head.

ntefuinao crane the neck.

ntefuifuiwoenudatedt n v talk; chat.

ntevaowia n adj virgin.

nteviuviuwao v watch, observe.

~**nudt**, v look forward to.

nteviuviuwonao *v* look down on; contempt against.

nteviuviuwunao v look up to.

nteviuwuodt v look.

nteviuwuoni v look at.

ntexxaonactdintt v hurt, harm, tease. n torment.

ntexxaspdintndfaspfia n friends.

o, O

oocnibui n nothing, no, none.

p, P

paopaowoenao v spread; multiply.

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paopaowoenu adj bright, clear.
paowoets blink, blinking lights.
paowpaowoenao headlights.
papaowact n v kiss.
papawuinao panto. v give.
peipact adj more.
peipactdoudt n number.
peipeunact v to be busy. also -dia and -doa.
peipounactdt v tinker; fix.
pentfia n tea.
pentfu n soul, spirit; adj spiritual.
penthao ride in a car; riding a conveyance.
penthlano v withdraw; step out.
penthunui v resign; quit.
pentpowiuni adj out.
pentvao v ride.
peunact panto. n money.
pfentt v vote; n election; (South Western [America]) office.
puiwgowia adj around.
pĝewia v n orbit.
piandfcapoena see fhecactt. sun, moon.
pido imit n per cent, percentage.
pigewiadt adj about.
pipewachnoedate v correspond. n correspondence.
pipewachdoenactbeibus n clash.
piunot n pepper. also
~S, .
piupiuwide imit n certificate, degree.
piupiuwuinaduinao panto. v give, present.
piuwots imit n pepper.
piweipewoeno v lose.
piwgewiat adj about, concerning, approximately.
piwpewachnoet v correspond.
piwxuenoa v play cards.
pjent ink.
poeda v send.
poedao v send.
poede v send.
poedi v send.
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p̂oene n light. v shine, light.
p̂oeno n light; v shine, light. also
~ene, .
popowao v move.
popowuenao v sell.
~ndfhesiuwaenaodts, n store, shopping. v shop.
p̂op̂owuo panto. v develop photographs.
poweuni panto. v plant, sow.
ppaena v obtain.
p̂pat v i was taught.
ppao n nothing.
\hat{p}\hat{p}aot v teach.
~ndtrabbo, n teacher.
ppentnodts v save money.
p̂piadate panto. v decorate (a room, etc).
p̂pie see p̂pie. nothing.
\hat{p}\hat{p}oenaodt v teach.
pposs v reverse.
ppowent adj in, inside; v deposit.
\simts, v save (money).
ppuiwachniudact imit v add. n addition.
proaifanact v trangress, injure; n danger; adj dangerous.
proaitonactdt n orange; lemon.
proaspcuenactdt n corn.
proaspqounact n earth; geography.
probactdt imit n long sleeves.
probaowactdts n business.
probaowienact n business. adj busy.
probiuwanactduidact n stockings; socks.
probiuwanactduidonact n Scotland; Scot.
probiuwaonactduidact n socks.
proboanact imit n long sleeves.
procactdt n church.
procianact n adj chocolate.
procoanact adj obscene. n obscenity.
prodiadact n engagement. adj engaged.
profactdt imit n wristwatch.
progactdounu n diamond.
progowactdt imit n time.
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progduwactdounu imit n diamond; diamond ring.

progduwactdt n duty.

progduwou n diamond ring; diamond.

prohaowaonactdt v wear; use.

prohaowianactdt v use; wear.

prohiuwiadact *n* nature; nation. *adj* natural; national.

proĥiuwiadact *n* nation. *adj* national.

projactt n institution.

projiadact *n* institution.

projianact *n* island.

prokowianaodact *n* principal.

proosstaowue *v* defeat, conquer, overcome; *n* conquest.

propactdoenao *n* advice. *v* advise.

propoenao *n* advice. *v* advise; influence.

proqact *v n* touch. *n* touchdown.

proqact n melon.

proqaonact adj naked; empty.

proqianact adj bald.

protact n v blame, fault.

protanact *n* pain, injury; dangers. *v* hurt, injure. *adj* dangerous. *eg Buibiuwinactdt b̂aowi cnigawia protanact beiblewact tragawactdedact*. Forgive those who trespass against us.

protiadact v establish, found.

protiuwactdt *n* work, occupation. *v* work. *adj* busy.

protziuwactdt *n* temple; tabernacle.

protiuwiadact *n* appointment, reservation; lock. *v* lock.

protoenaovus v beat, defeat.

proguiwactdt *imit n* stone, rock.

~ndntebiubiuweno, imit n mountain.

provlewact *imit adj* hard. *n* something hard.

provlowactdt n potato.

provlowiadact n Ireland. adj Irish.

proyactdt *n* whiskey; whisky.

psianaedent adj included; all inclusive.

ptentnots n gas, gasoline; gas station; v fill up.

puigowia adv around.

puimaipuiwaot v feed. also cnipawactnd~.

puipuiwaonact adj smooth. v go smoothly. also cni~.

puipuiweunact *n* earth, soil.

~ndbiuwianao, acreage; land.

puipuiwianadate v trade.

puipuiwoenudts panto. v unpack, unwrap.

puipuiwuena panto. v give.

puiwao panto. v hand over, pass; give.

~dits, pass around, hand out.

puiwoeneudi see tuiwoeneudi.

puwiudent v join; get into.

pvluiwiudent v get in (a car); board (a train).

piusuiwachnaedact *imit* v add. n addition.

q, Q

qoewqoewia v pity; n sympathy, pity, mercy. **qqoenaot** v hate, despise, detest.

r, R

rawiut adj brown, grey.

reiruidact n roll, doughnut.

ri adj (direction) right.

Rido *n* Rochester, N.Y.; the state school for the deaf at Rochester.

rie adj n Republican.

riwrewide n rope.

rllide large.

~ndtu, larger.

~ndtu, largest.

rodido *n* railroad; reading room; rest room.

rossride adj ready.

rraena v receive.

rri adj ready. also

~**e**, , and

~de, .

rroets *n* lobster, crab.

rrondrinairewo see bbondbinaibewo. room.

s, S

ŝaeda imit v take, grasp.

sagowaonie adj among.

samosamowachdasp n wedding.

ŝamaiŝaweuna adj afraid. n fear.

samosamowo adj helpless; idle.

saosaowaeno imit v seize, capture; turn off the light.

saosaowaenoppus v turn off the light, the light goes out.

saosaowoudate v flatter.

saoweisaowoudate v flirt.

sasaowia imit adj vague; hazy.

sasaowienact n films.

sasawaeno imit v catch.

sasaweunu imit n fire, flames.

ŝaŝawiunaot adj loving parties, revelling.

 $\hat{s}a\hat{s}awuenat n$ breeze.

sasent *imit v* permeate, infiltrate.

şaspşeunia n adj Quaker.

saspsia n America; American. adj American.

saspsuet *imit* v wrestle. n wrestling.

sawaspsawuenot n engine, machine.

~**ndtrabbo**, *n* engineer.

sawosssaweu *n* butterfly.

sbentnao imit adj through.

sbentne *n* intermission, interval.

sbuiwentt *n* sandwich.

seiside adj n much, too much.

sentbienact adj between.

sentgui v begin. adj original.

sewaenipus and.

sgact *n* student.

sgactdtnodt *adj* various; et cetera.*n* variety.

sgaonact v drop out; quit.

sginactdt *n* fingers.

ŝhŝaenao n faith. v trust.

sisewentnoa adj grey.

siugowentno imit adj deep.

siuguwentnu imit v pop up; appear.

siumaiŝiuweu imit n linotype machine; linotypist. also

~ trabbo, .

siumaisiuweuna v flow.

cniwactnd~, n river.

ŝiumiŝiumewie *n* battle, war.

siuwosssiuweunaot imit n spider, insect.

siusiuwachneu v converge, gather. see $\hat{b}umai\hat{b}uwuenao$. dashing for a place.

siusiuweuna v freeze. adj frozen.

siusiuweunie imit n piano. v play the piano.

siusiuwaenu v assume responsibility, take over.

siusiuweuno see

trasewaenand~, *v n* snow.

śiusuiwachnaedactppus imit v add. n addition.

siuwentguwao imit v escape; run away.

siuwentguwo v disappear.

siuwentto *v* drown, sink.

siuweuni n finger spelling; v spell, say, talk.

śiwbewo n long list; great many things to do.

siweisewidenaeppus n a football.

siwsewentnoa grey.

slaslawasp v merge, combine.

slaslawaspdideno *v* operate smoothly, coordinate, jell.

sossseu n German; Germany.

ŝou adj so-so.

spagactdt n dentist.

spagdactt *n* dentist.

spahiuwactt *n* nurse.

spatiuwuidact n v lock.

spawiuwactt *n* doctor.

ssachnaetppus n meeting.

ssaena v get, receive, obtain.

ssaspdidenaetppus n story. v tell a story.

ŝŝie *n* wind, breeze.

ssienue *n* wind, storm.

ŝŝounuodate *adj* variable. *v* vary.

ssuinat *n* breeze.

 $\hat{\mathbf{s}}$ uimaisuiweu v wait.

ŝuimaiŝuiwoniat v wait.

suiŝiuwianu imit n smoke; steam; vapour.

suisiuwossdidenae v destroy. n destruction.

suisuiwaedoet imit adj sticky.

suisuiwaenots adj soft.

suisuiwaets adj wet.

suisuiwanactdt imit n mesh, net.

suisuiweunactdide v fade, vanish.

suiwoenut *adj* tiny.

susuwaspt *n* football. *v n* (in US football) scrimmage.

susuwoadate n traffic.

suweisuwounactdate adj crowded.

sxoeni v eliminate.

t, T

fa hi, solong; Brit. good.

taitach v catch up.

taitao follow.

taitianacht v pursue, chase.

taitot adj each, every.

taivawact v save (money). also ~dt.

tao *n* yourself, himself, themselves.

tao hi; good bye.

taot panto. v n ring doorbell, press button; see tao.

taowaot panto. v knock; n a knock on a door.

taowoet see siuweuni.

taowuet excl yes.

taspbot v pray; n prayer.

fat v refuse, won't.

tatawao adj strong, powerful; n power. see also mrabiuwactduidact.

fawiuni v disobey, rebel, refuse. see also $\hat{t}a$.

tbiuwanact adj full, complete.

tbiuwaonactdt adj enough, plenty.

tbiuwia *n* locale, area.

tbiuwo v suppress, bear down (on someone).

tbiuwudt *imit* v blow up; lose one's temper.

tbuiwactt *n v* help. see *tbuiwu*.

tbuiwe imit v cut off; fire.

tbuiwu v n help.

tciuwounact *imit* v can. n canned food.

teitact with, together, accompanying.

~doenide, . adj without. see also teitao.

teitactdout see teitou. make, fix.

teitao v pass. also

~nact, ; adj together; v get together. see also teitact, ceicachact.

teitao adj far.

teitianao see teitao.

teitinadact adj behind.

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teitonact adj mean, cruel.

teitou v make, fix.

teitouna *v* avoid.

teitu adj most, chiefly.

 $\hat{t}emiuwoat n$ distrust; v view suspiciously.

tentsiuwuena adj awkward; unskillful. also ~o.

tentṣọ *imit n v adj* shit.

teu *n* cigarette lighter.

tgact adj first; primary; original.

tĝia imit v orbit.

tiat see toat.

îifewachnu v challenge, meet (in a game or contest).

titewact *n* crash, collision, accident, head on collision. *eg Gigewiana-date protiuwactt trablblact titewact; gumaitact buibuwou*. Coming to work I had an accident; I hit a tree.; *hiuwosshiuwoanactt titewact*. train wreck.; *buiyiumowact*. plane crash. see also *guiguiwiu*.

fifewactnu see *fifewachnu*. meet in contest.

titewianaodate see gigewacht. pain.

titewideniu n payment; adj paid. see also buicao.

titewidet imit v pull, stretch. see also tuimaituiwa.

tiuweibo imit v cut off, slice; behead; fire.

tiuweibodts imit n v slice.

fiumaifiuwao panto. v defend, guard; n defence.

tiumaitiuwcdts v advertise; boast. n ad.

tiumotiumowonaot imit v wash clothes. see also bui tiuwoanact.

tiunaitiuwao *v* stretch, extend, draw out; *n* extension.

fiune *v* pour, decant.

tiutiuwaot panto. v mow a lawn, cut grass; n lawn-mower.

tiutiuwo *v* be able, can; *adj* able, possible.

tiutiuwodu see ttoune. baptise.

tiutiuwoenao see ppao. nothing.

tiuntiuwuenaots *n* exaggeration; *v* exaggerate, stretch; *adj* exaggerated.

tiutiuwuodate *adj* doubtful. *cf tiutiuwo*. possible. see also *mfivaweunao tiweitewie*. variant of *tiweiteweu*. sweethearts.

tiutiuwiadate see tiuwia.

tiweiteweu see tiweiteweu. darling.

tiuweitiuwuinide *imit* v break; n a break (both literally and figuratively).

tiuwia v wash. see also bui tiuwoanact.

tiuwosshuwo adj usual; adv usually.

tiuwosstiuwie panto. n slave.

tiuwosstiuwo n custom, habit. see also tiuwosshuwo.

tiweiteweu *n v* sweetheart, darling, be sweethearts.

to adv Saturdays; n adv adj south, southern.

toat n v going back and forth.

toenao v beat, defeat, throw away, get rid of.

foenao panto. v throw.

toenaovus variant of protoenaovus.

tossṭao adj yet, still; n continuation, duration, stay; v continue, keep on, remain, stay. eg Tragawact sentgui protiuwact 1948 tossṭao. I began working there in 1948 and have remained there since then.; Blaweiblawui ĝanact gaowao tossṭao ppowent buiyiuwoanact. How long will you remain in New York?; Yiuwaonu paopaowoenu; tiutiuwo protiuwact buweiguwia peipact. It is still light; we can work one hour more.; Yiuyiuwo(ot). No change has occurred or will occur.

tosstaot prolonged stay or continuation that is wearying.

fossfide *adj* free, saved; *n* the free; *v* free.

tossto v remain, stay. see also tosstao.

tosstoe imit n Germany; adj German.

 $\hat{t}oss\hat{t}uet n$ necking; v neck.

totowianodate *n* chemistry, science. see also *fiune*.

~ndtrabbo, . n chemist, scientist.

îoîowoenao v throw out.

fou adj no. see zae.

fowuo *n* suitcase, bag; *v* carry.

tqactndtbiuwact *n* soda; soft drink.

traaaonadatendtrabbo n actor.

trababawact *n* responsibility. *adj* responsible.

trababawact *n* shoulders.

- ~ndntebiubiuwuenuo, panto. n angel.
- -ndntesiusiuweuno, imit n v snow.

trababawossnact *panto.* v n love.

trabactdt n leg.

~ndntekactnao, n dog.

trabamaibawactdt n confession.

trabaobaowaone v hate.

trabawent n purse.

traĥawuena imit adj past, ago. n past.

trabbianadate adj long ago, in the past.

trabbianaodate imit n lineage. v descend from.

trabbossnact panto. n v rest.

trabbo see bbo. individual.

trabewact *adj* my; mine. *n* chest; breast.

~dao, intj 'You're welcome.'.

trabewactdt imit n stomach.

trabewactduidact imit n revulsion.

trabewianact *v* like; enjoy. *n* pleasure. *intj* 'Please!'

trabewunactdt imit adj happy. n birthday.

trabianadt adj a long time ago.

trabibewactdodact n body. adj physical.

~**ndtraftao**, *n* health. *adj* healthy; strong.

trabibewoadate imit v laugh.

trabimaibewao *imit adj* pregnant. v be with child.

trabimaitactdt *imit n* heart beat; palpitation.

trabiubiuwact *n* satisfaction. *v* satisfy. *adj* satisfied.

trabiubiuwactdaono imit n skirt.

trabiubiuwactduinodact n blouse.

trabiubiuwonact imit n skirt.

trabiubiuwonact *imit n* relief. *adj* relieved.

traĥhuiĥuiwie panto. n baby.

trabiuwactdt n Elizabeth E. Benson, Dean at Gallaudet College.

trablawuenadt adj recently.

trablblact v have, possess.

trablbluenactdt n animal, beast.

trablblunactdt adj young. n youth.

trabloblowuinact adj tired; worn out.

trabloblowunactduinao v admit; confess.

trabobowactdt n hips.

trabobowunactdt imit n trousers.

trabowuenadt adj late.

trabuibuiwactdt n waist.

trabuibuiwunao imit v bear. adj born. n birth.

~**bhiugiuwuni**, *n* birthday.

trabuiwactt see bhuibuiwie. baby.

trabuiwonact see bbo. individual.

trabuwactduinedact adj our. n ours.

tracacawactdts imit n measles.

tracacawao imit adj fat.

tracactdidact *n* congress; council.

tracactdonidact *n* Christ.

tracactdt n policeman.

~ndnteccaenao, v arrest. adj arrested..

tracawactdt n complaint. adj object; complain.

tracawcawaeno v restrain one's feelings, repress.

tracawianact imit adj disgusted; annoyed.

tracawonact v n desire; wish. n hunger. adj hungry.

traciadact *n* characteristic.

tracianact *n* character; characteristic.

traciuwactdt *n* captain, officer.

tracocowach imit n belt.

tracocowide *imit n* belt.

tracocowuinu adj angry.

tracocowunactdt panto. n monkey.

traĉossĉonactdt n bear.

tradactdodidact n emperor.

tradactdt *n* Miss Elizabeth Peet, Dean at Gallaudet College 1910 – 1950.

trafawaspdaodt n v volunteer.

trafiuwact *imit n* button.

trafiuwodt *n* pineapple; Pittsburg.

trafiuwonact n v profit, gain.

trafuonact imit n pin.

tragactdt n I alone. adj by my self.

tragawact n me, I.

tragowactdedact n we; us.

tragowactdodidact *n* queen.

tragewactdt n conscience; guilt. v feel guilty.

trahewinact *n* name tag; name plate.

tracawounactdt imit n v cough.

tragagawianact imit n heart.

tragawunact n v insult.

tragogowunui adj since; up to now.

trahowactdedact n us.

trahowiadact adj noble; idealistic; aristocratic.

trajact n I.

~dts, adj egotistical.

trakactdonidact n king.

~ndntepuipuiweunactndntebiuwianao, n kingdom.

trakawactdidact *n* pledge.

trakko see bbo. individual.

trakowactdoniwact n prince; princess.

trakowiadact *n* personality.

trakowianact *n* personality.

tralact adj lazy.

tralactdonidact n lord; Lord.

tralaenact imit n v pin.

trallide adj generous.

traîîide imit adj broad-shouldered; husky.

trallunact live; life; alive.

traluenadact v I'm next.

traluenadact adj I'm next.

trappoenudate imit v strip; tear off clothing.

tragact *panto. adj* sick, ill. *n* illness.

~ndntetuitiuwiunui, n grief..

traqaqawao imit adj inclined to; tend to.

traqiadact *n* heart.

traqianact *n* heart.

traqoewqoewactndbaowia fml feel others' feeling.

traqoewqoewactndqoewqoewia fml feel others' feeling.

traqqactdatedt *v* worry. *adj* worried. *n* anxiety.

traqqonact adj discouraged; downhearted.

traqquinu adj 'What's new?', 'What's up?'

traqqunactdate *n* excitement. *adj* excited.

traqunactdt imit n emotion; feeling. v feel.

traractdt *n* religion. *adj* religious.

trașactdt imit adj polite; fine; elegant.

trasamusamuwunact v inspire; thrill. adj thrilled.

trasaspsao imit adj pregnant.

trasewaenaodpus adj white.

- ~ndfcapawoe, imit adj pale.
- ~**ndsiusiuweuno**, *imit n v* snow.

trasewaenaodqus v like, enjoy.

trasisewachdt *n v* fear; scare. *v* frighten.

trasisewaenao *n v* interest. *adj* interesting; interested.

trasisewoa *imit* v breathe. n breath.

trasisewonactdate v dress.

trasisewonactdt *imit n* clothes; clothing.

trasiusiuwactdt *n* Russia; waist. *adj* Russian; offsides.

trașiuwuinact adj repulsive.

trasiwsewonactate v dress, put on clothes.

trassact *n* holiday, vacation. *adj* idle.

traŝŝactwaenao panto. n courage. adj brave; healthy.

trassaenactdpiuus panto. v accept. n acceptance.

trassaspna imit adj pregnant.

trasseunact n holiday.

tratact *n* myself.

~dedact, *n* ourselves.

tratactdidact n Atlanta, Ga.

trataspdoa n Canada; adj Canadian.

trafat v refuse, won't.

tratatawactdodact imit n sweater.

tratatawactdt imit n army, soldier.

tratatawossnact imit n v love.

~**ndfhexodt**, *n* philosophy..

tratatawuonact panto. n bath. v bathe.

trațiuțiuwactdate v boast, brag. adj boastful. n braggart.

trațiuțiuwonact imit n coat.

tratiuwonact *n* operation.

trațiuwțiuwonact n coat.

trațiuwunact n pride; adj proud.

tratounact *n* perfume.

tratsawianact adj sorry.

trattachnoe imit adj frightened.

trattonaate *n* drama, play.

~**ndtrabbo**, *n* actor.

trattunact *n* address.

trattunactate adj ambitious.

traîtuo v n exercise; n gymnasium.

travavawuedt adj vain.

traviuviuwa v look back; reminisce.

trawaowdaowactdidactndfaspfia n members.

trawawactdianao n Washington.

trawdawactdidact *n* member; Edward Miner Gallaudet (1837 – 1917), first President of Gallaudet College.

trawdawaodt *n* Washington.

Traxxactndntexxasp *n* Spain; Mexico. *adj* Spanish; Mexican.

tsaene v win. n victory.

tsaeni adj all gone; exhausted.

tsia n adj Saturday.

tsiutsiuwoeno imit v drop.

tsiuweitsiuwactt *n* shoes.

tso adv Saturdays; n adj south.

tstsachdoenact variant of pipewachdoenact clash.

tstsao see ttao.

tsiutsiuwianaodate imit n bicycle; v bike.

ttach see ttacht. cold.

ttachdoenact n clash.

ttacht adj cold; n winter, cold. see also vlavlaowienactdate.

ttact v stay; remember.

ttact assistant.

ttactdoenagus *n adj* last year, a year ago.

ttactdoenavus n adj two years ago.

ttactdoenazus *n adj* three years ago.

ttactdoenaogus *n adj* next year.

ttactdoenaots adj every year.

ttactdoenaovus *n adj* in two years.

ttactdoenaozus *n adj* in three years.

ttao v try, strive, attempt; n a try. eg Buibuiwact ttao! Good try!

ttao v hold.

ttao v hold.

ttaodate panto. v box; n boxing.

~**ndtrabbo**, *n* boxer.

étawact v n support.

ttawu v n support.

ttiadact n year.

ttianact *n* coffee.

ttiano *n* figure, shape, (*esp* human) form; trophy.

ttide v pull apart.

ttiuwossnactt *n* algebra. see also *wiwewossnactt*.

tto v pull down.

 $\hat{t}\hat{t}\hat{o}$ *n* deterioration; *v* deteriorate, lower the standard. see also *bliumibliumewo*, *bacttnaot*

î \hat{t} **î** \hat{v} decline, regress.

ttoadate *v* compete; *n* competition.

ttodact v remember.

îtîodate *panto. v* batter, pound. see also *ba tuwact*.

ttodonedoni *imit n v* cheerleader, to lead a cheer, the cheering section.

itoenaot v scold, bawl out. *syn guwuet. panto.* admonition in general; $\hat{f}aott.$ v preach.

ttoenuttus *adj* quick, fast. *eg trallunact sewaeni biubuiwuiniu kokowuodate*. the quick and the dead. see also *laileuna*, *beibowaonact*.

îtîossdidenoe v explode; n explosive.

ttossnactt see ttiuwossnactt. algebra.

itot v pull repeatedly.

ttoudate see ttoadate. compete.

ttoune $imit\ v$ baptise; n Baptist, baptism. see also cniwactndfcapoe.

ttoutt see ttoune. baptise.

thtowiadate n each other; v mingle. see also guweiguwactdout.

ìtu *n* umbrella. also

~ts, .

ttuenact panto. v fish. see also bibuenie.

ttuenat v fish, go fishing.

ituet *n* baseball; *v* play baseball.

îtuewosst *v n* fight.

ttui see ttacht. cold.]

îtui adj crowded. see also seisounact.

ttuodate panto. n car; v drive. eg ttoudate, tuituiwoadate, btaowie, ttaot.

tṭuodate *adj* which?, which. *eg* Mfifactdadact FORD cnibewaenu ṭṭuodate. Which one do you prefer, Pontiac or Ford? *n* which. *eg* Fhebawactdiunao ṭṭuodate cnibewaenu. I do not know which is better.

tu *n* boss; *v* take charge, administer.

fu see tu.

fue subservient, bending low, kowtow.

tui (possessive apostrophe).

tui *n adj* another, other, the other, else.

~ni, see tui.

tui n adj ten.

tuimaituiwa v pull.

tuino adj n any.

~**ndbuiwonino**, *n* anything. but

bibewoanactate, anyway, regardless.

tuituiwo variant of *buibuiwo*. heavy.

tuituiwoenao v cause.

tuituiwoenaot many, much.

tuituiwoenu how many?, how much?

tuituiwoet n adj many.

tuiwe v tug.

tuiweitiuwiunui *v* sprain, twist; *n* a sprain.

tuiweituiwoenao *imit v* fall apart; *adj* worn out, falling apart, crumbling.

tuiwoeneudi adj few; n a few.

tuiwoenugus n adj eleven.

îuiwossîuiwideniu see *îossîide*. free.

tuitiuwossnactt see ttiuwossnactt. algebra.

tuiwtiuwianact v wash; chew.

tundbiuwia *n* chief of devision, department head.

tundbiuwia see tundbiuwia.

tuot see toat.

tvlaspna imit v capture; tackle.

îwa v refuse. see also *îawiuni*.

twano panto. n gearshift; v shift. see also ttuodate.

txaonact v spoil; ruin.

~dt, vn hurt.

txaonactt n pain; injury; torment. v hurt, harm; tease; torture.

tyiuwactndyiuwo(ao, i, e) v remain, stay.

tzia n adj Tuesday.

tzo adv Tuesdays.

tztzao see ttao.

tztzossnactt *n* trigonometry.

v, V

vaewodoenao v move oneself.

vafaspnadidaspna v choose. n choice.

vanaivawact see taivawact. save.

vaomaivaowuonao *n* funeral. also ~dt.

vaowaedt n scissors. v cut.

vaowia adj virgin.

vaowuonaodt *n* two people walking together.

vavawoss adj worse, worst. v multiply.

 \sim **nactdt**, n arithmetic. v calculate.

vawfaspnadidaspna *n* choice (of alternatives).

vawgact adj n second.

vawguinact adj n second.

vawie *n* the two of us, the two of you.

vawoa *n* the two of us, the two of you.

vawossvawa v save.

vawvawactduidact v adj n reverse.

viumaviumaowoadate *n* dual highway.

viuviuweuna adj selfish.

viuwui v reverse, transpose.

viuwviuwactts n salt.

viweivewide adj very.

 \sim **no**, *n* tent, camp.

vlaodtnudt v climb up socially.

vlaodut *v* climb socially; advance professionally or vocationally.

vlaowvlaowuinao v sit in a circle. also vlaovlaowuinao.

vlavlaowienactdate imit v shiver.

vliuwianao *n* snake, serpent.

víliuvluiwide adj amazed.

víliuvluiwo adj amazed.

vlivlewact v reach and impasse.

vlivlewactdoudt *n* problem.

vlivlewactdts n squirrel.

vlivlewuena adj dead; unconscious.

vlivlewuonactdate adj difficult, hard. n problem.

vliwvlewact see vlewact. hard.

vlodaodat adj flighty, fickle; v change interests.

vlodaot v move from one place to another.

vlodits *v* travel with short stopovers.

vlodtnaodt v move.

vlodtnaodtnadt adj fickle. v change interests.

vlodtnidts v travel.

vlowodaodo v move oneself.

ýliuwvluiwide *adj* amazed, surprised, astonished, open-mouthed.

víliuwvluiwo *adj* amazed, surprised, astonished, open-mouthed.

 $\hat{\mathbf{v}}$ lui $\hat{\mathbf{v}}$ luiwiedate imit n roller-skating. v skate.

vluiweivliuwiunui v sprain; twist. see tuiweitiuwiunui.

 $\hat{\mathbf{v}}$ l $\hat{\mathbf{v}}$ luidt imit n quotation. v quote.

vlvluodate *n* tournament.

voweunao v walk.

vuivuiwianaodate v visit.

vuiwiu v adj n reverse.
vvent n plug in.

w, W

wawo adj Wednesdays, every Wednesday. we n adj west, western.

wiwwewossnactt n mathematics. hence tiwtewossnactt, algebra.
tziwtzewossnactt, trigonometry.
ciwcewossnactt, calculus.
giwgewossnactt, geometry.
wia n Wednesday.
wowia n Monday.
wowo adj Mondays, every Monday.
wwwiadact n adj world.

x, X

xaixaot v urge, persuade.

xanaixact adj exact, precise; specific.

xanaixaowact n revenge; v avenge; get even with.

xanaixiadact adj exact, precise; specific.

Xạo *n* period (punctuation mark); the end, That's it.

xaodaonedaoni n therefore.

xaoduino n semi-colon.

x̂aoweix̂aowoenuategus see *b̂aoweiŷaowunactate*. stars.

 $\hat{\mathbf{x}}$ awei $\hat{\mathbf{x}}$ awoenudategus n stars.

xeixact see xanaixact. exact, accurate.

xxint v exchange. adj instead.

Xie n Phoenix, Arizona.

xiuna *v* draw (a cork), uncap (a bottle).

xiuwo aux v must.

xiuwots aux v should; adj necessary.

 $\acute{x}iuwxuiw$ act n revenge; v avenge; get even with.

xiwaspxewi v tow.

xiweixewactt *n* electricity; physics.

~**ndtrabbo**, *n* electrician.

xiwxewiadide v tie.

xiwxewiunui v twist, distort.

xoeni v eliminate.

xoenu see ttoenuṭṭus. quick, fast.

xoenut *adj* little, tiny; *n* a little bit. also

xoenuts, . eg Bui siuwaenu xoenuts. I learned a little.; B siuwaenu suiwoenu.

I did not learn a thing.

xoewiu v turn off.

xoewui v turn on.

xui n comma.

x̂uimoewaenat see *ĉuiwaenat*. subscribe.

xuiwoenutus adj (coffee) percolating.

xuiwxiuwint *n v* change.

 $\hat{\mathbf{x}}\hat{\mathbf{x}}$ achnoeatet v correspond.

 $\hat{\mathbf{x}}\hat{\mathbf{x}}$ achnoed \mathbf{t} \mathbf{v} correspond. \mathbf{n} correspondence.

 $\hat{\mathbf{x}}\hat{\mathbf{x}}$ achnoetggus v correspond.

xxaonact v spoil, ruin.

~ts, v tease; kid.

\hat{x}xaonactdint v torment, haze; n hazing, probation; prolonged or malicious teasing. cf \hat{x} xaonactt. tease.

xxaspdint *n* friend.

 $\hat{\mathbf{x}}\hat{\mathbf{x}}\mathbf{iat}\ v$ celebrate; win; n victory.

xxint *v* exchange, substitute; *adj* instead.

xxoaate v govern, rule, control, manage, direct.

 \sim **ndtrabbo**, n manager, ruler, director. cf fhegewiadactndtrabbo. governor.

xxoenuttus see ttoenuttus. quick, fast.

xxuena panto. v give.

xxuenao see pawpawuinao. v give.

xxuenat v fish, go fishing.

y, Y

yaiyoa see yyie.

yaowao see tosstao. still.

yaoyaowao see tosstao. still

yaspyeu n sweetheart, sweethearts. variant

tiweiteweu, .

yawyawie see yyie.

yfact *n* hole.

yiumowounao v waddle, walk like a duck or a fat person does.

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yiunowounao humour. v waddle.

 $\hat{\mathbf{y}}$ iuwao *n* aeroplane; *v* fly.

buiw~, taking off, landing, crashing.

yiuwaonu see tosstao.

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yiuwi adj same, alike. also
yiuwyiuwi,,
~a,,
yiuwyiuwia,,
yiuwe, , and
yiuwyiuwe, .
yiuwiedoa v be alike; adj identical, alike. also
yiuwiedodido,
yiuwo see tossto. stay.
yiuwyiuwactt v measure.
yiuwyiuwaot v ridicule (from ancient European evil-averting and in-
cantory gestures).
ysiuwysiuwaot, archaic.
yiuwyiuwiat see tosstao. still.
yiuwyiuwo also
yiuwyiuwao, see tosstao. adv still, continuing.
yiuwyiuwounactate v measure.
yiuyiuwiat see tosstao. still.; seemingly endless repetition, causing bore-
dom and frustration.
yiuyiuwo see tosstao. still.
yiwyewact see piwpewachdoenactt. clash.
yiwyewoa see yyie.
yiwyewuenaot v play.
yiyewact n clash.
you adj n yellow.
yuet see taowuet.
ŷuet adj yes.
yuiwyuiwo adj now; n the present.
yyacht see yyie.
yyie v be alike; adj identical, alike.
yyout v play.
                                 z, Z
zactzeunao imit n spider, insect.
zae adj n thirty.
zaenao adj no.
zaet adj no.
zao n car.
ziuwziuwuoate adj awkward, clumsy; v look awkward.
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